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HARSHA'S PRANK IS TOTALLY EPIC



HOW MUCH OF A SUPER-SPY ARE YOU?



THAT'S THE TOOTH!

HELP CALAMITY JAMES CHILL OUT!



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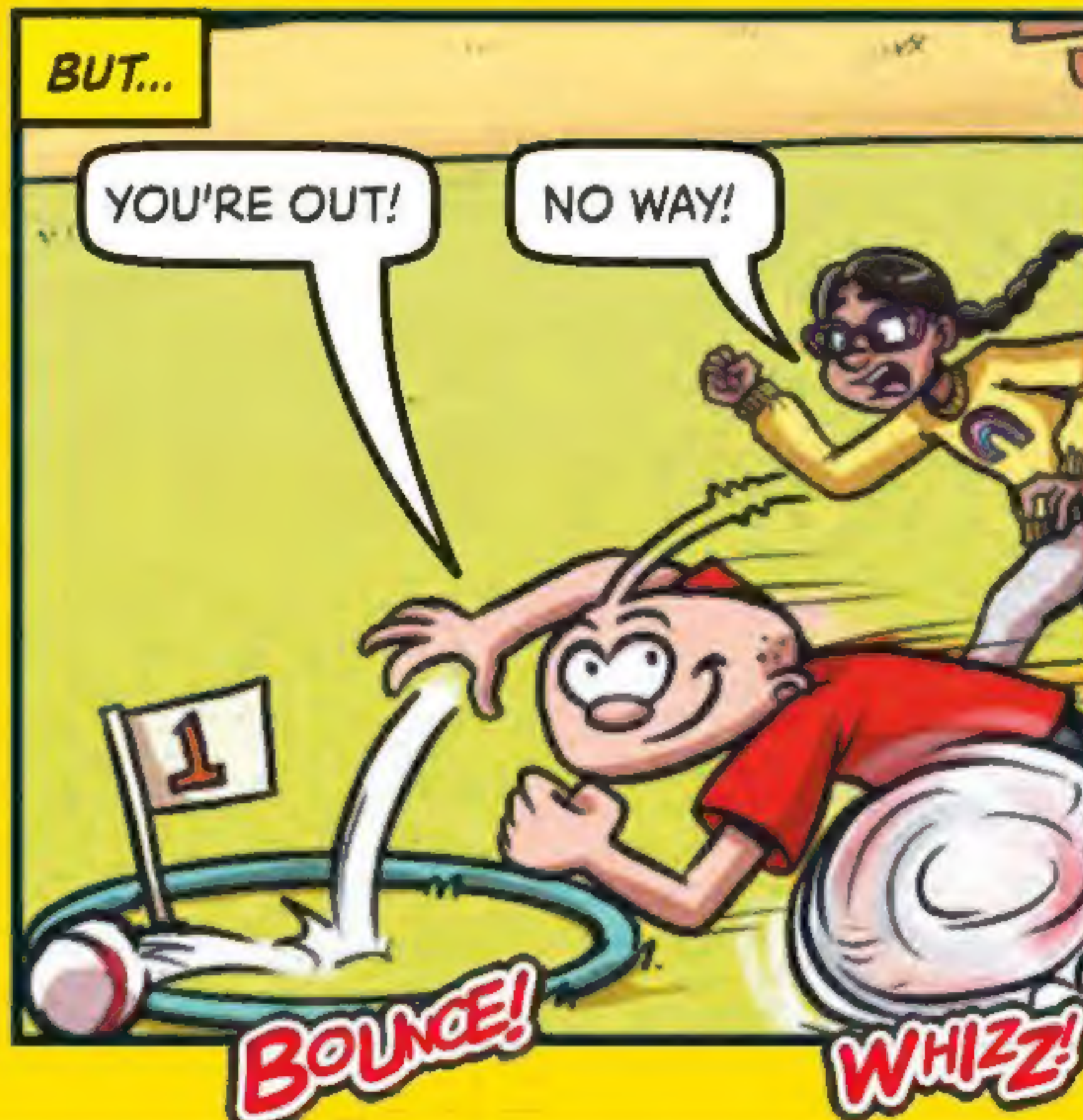
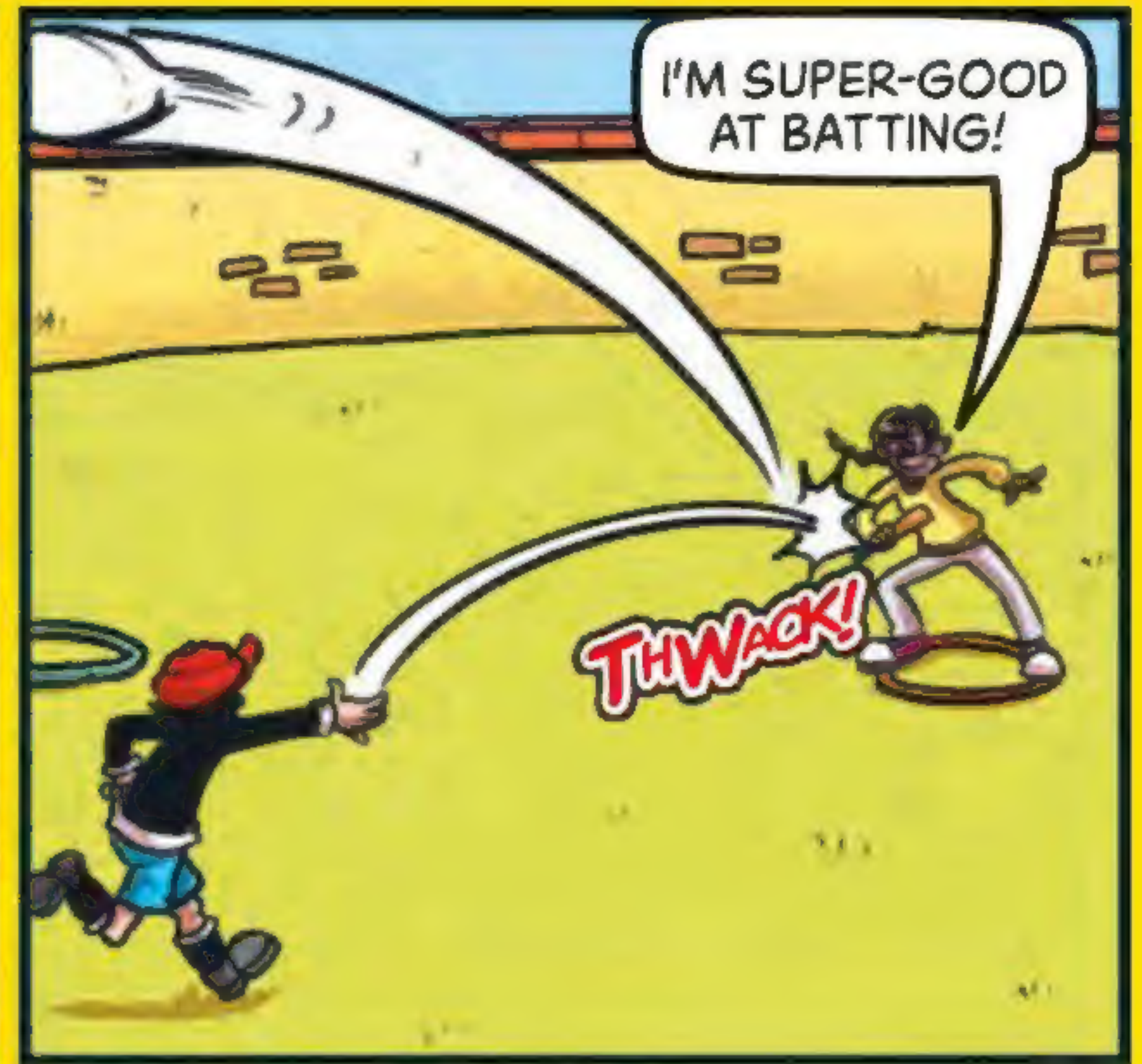
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DC THOMSON

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AYESHA FROM ST ALBANS IS THE BEANO BOSS!

WORDS: Grace Balfour-Harle ART: Emily McGorman-Bruce



WANT TO BE

THE BEANO BOSS?

IMAGINE BEING THE BEANO BOSS!

YOU'LL GET TO PICK THE BEST JOKES, TEST OUT THE PRANK, AWARD SOMEONE THE GOLDEN SPLAT, READ THE COMIC STRIPS FIRST AND LOADS MORE!

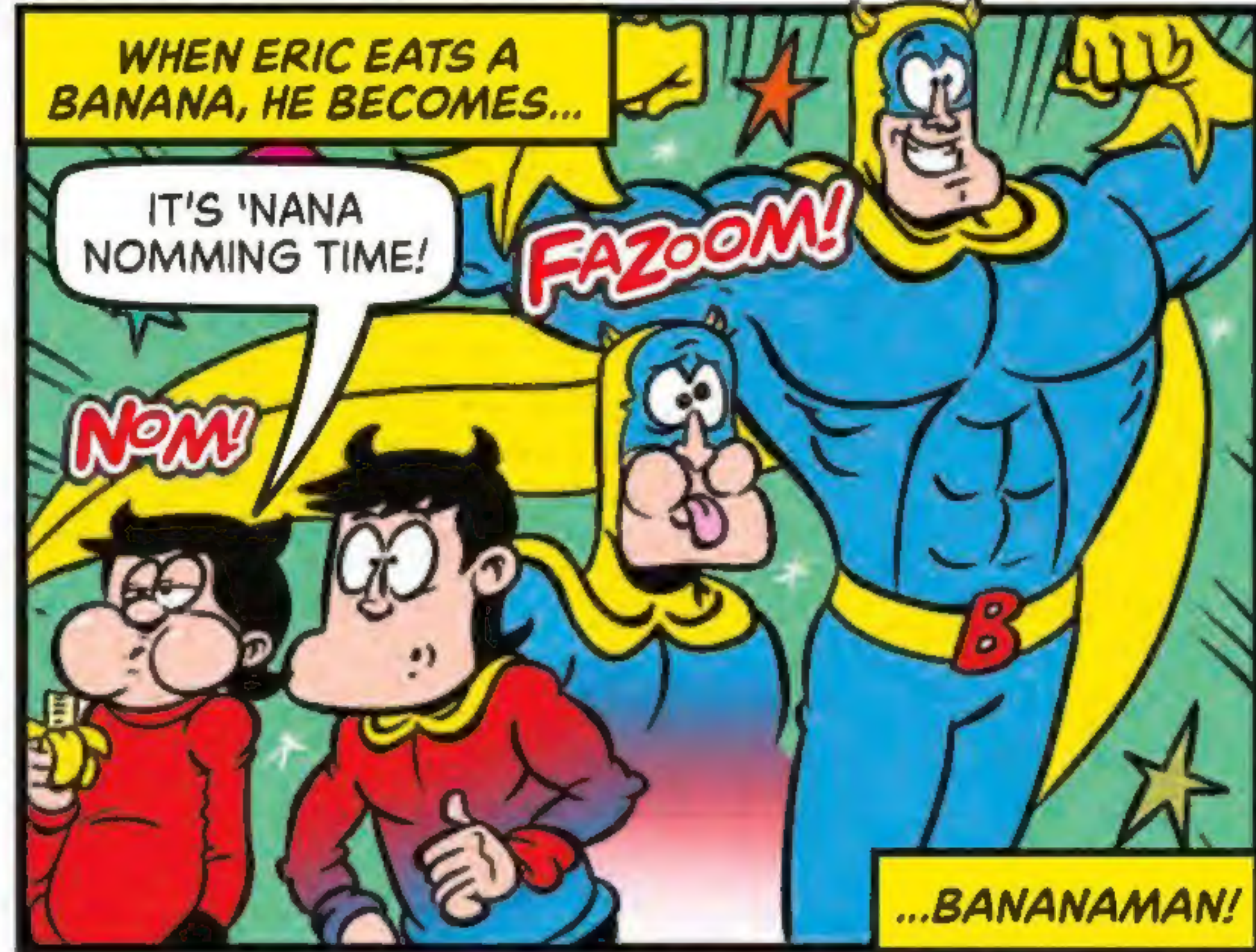
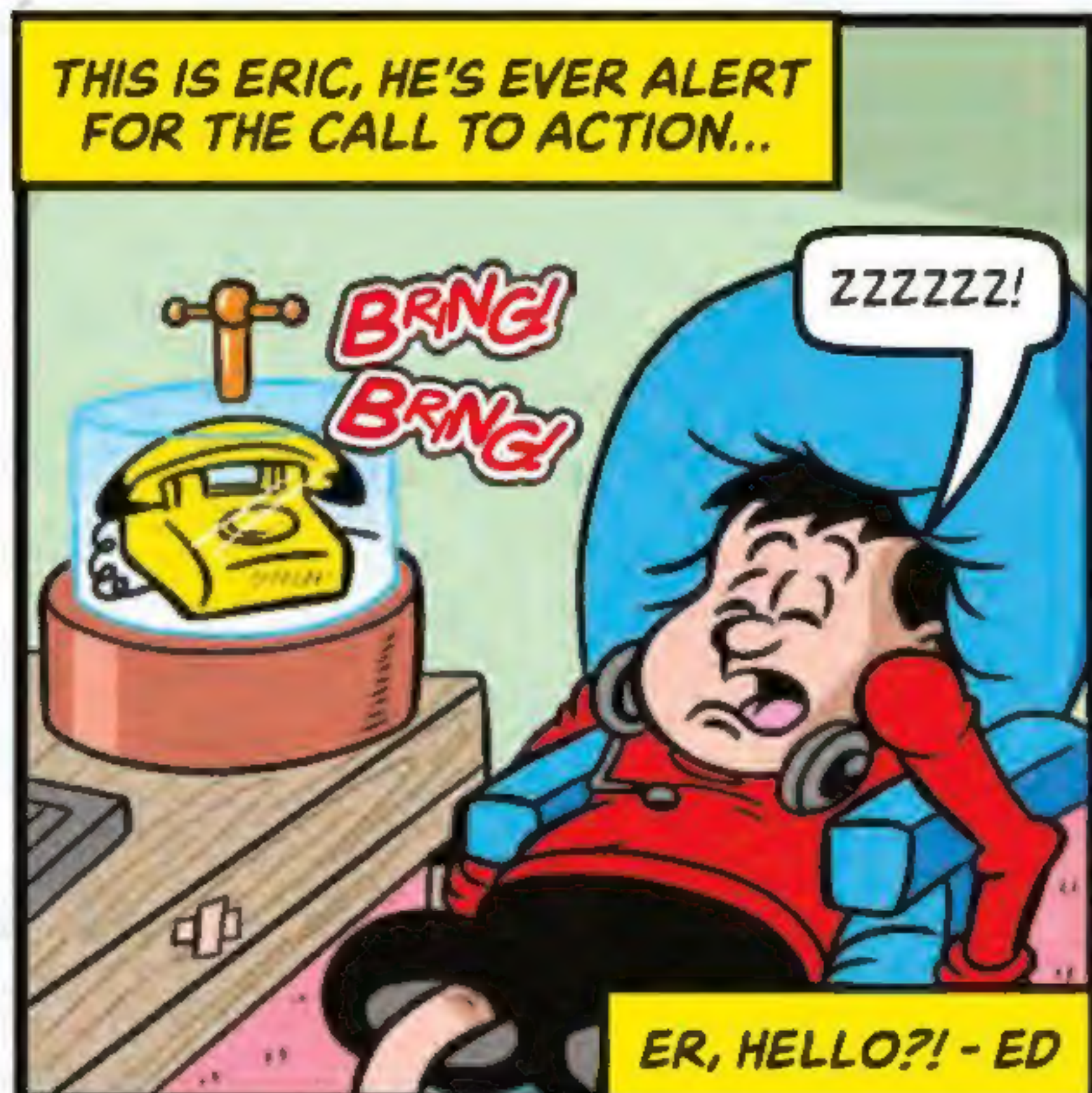
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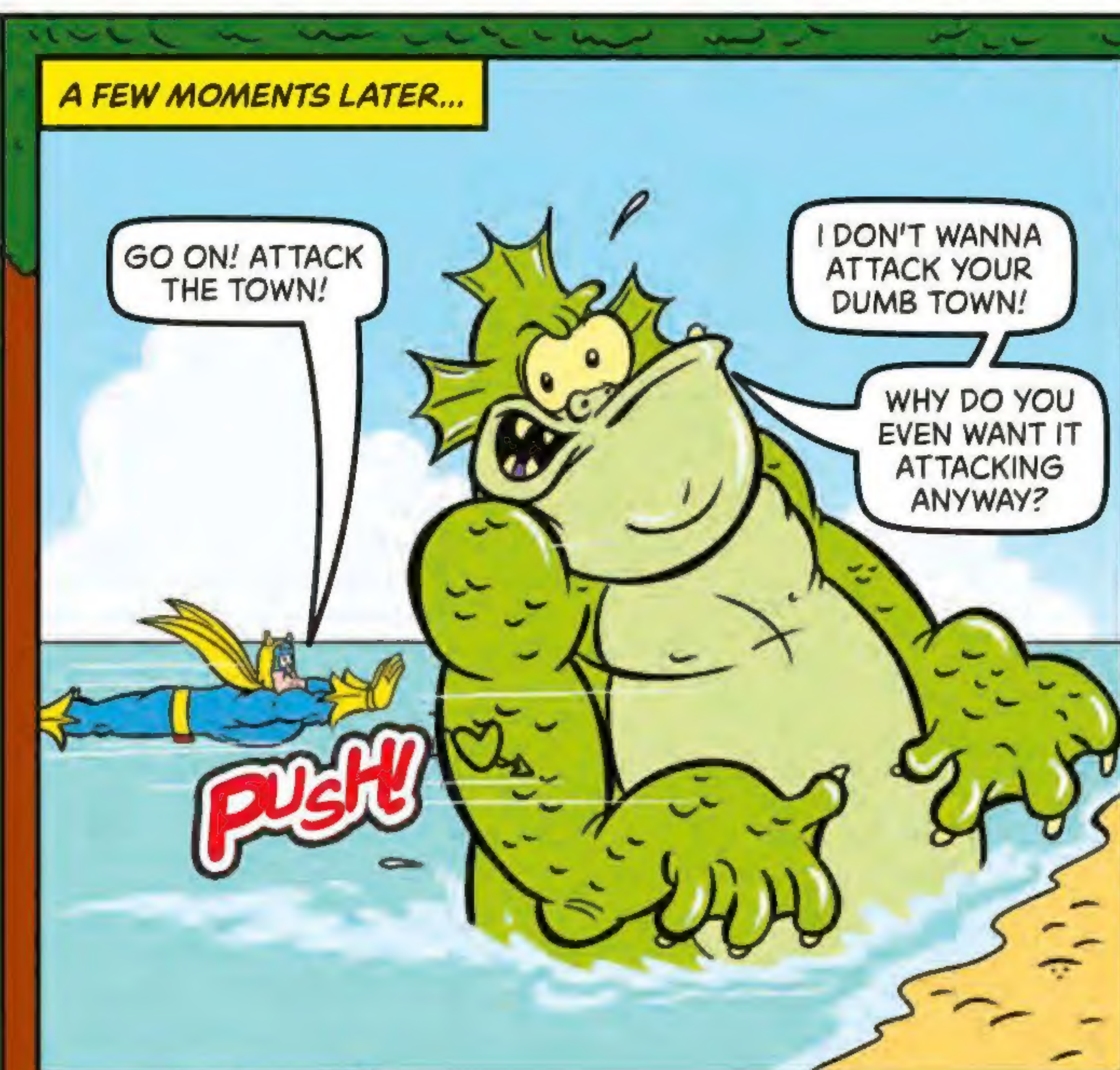
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- 1** Your all-time favourite joke!
- 2** Your name, your parent or guardian's name, phone number and email address!

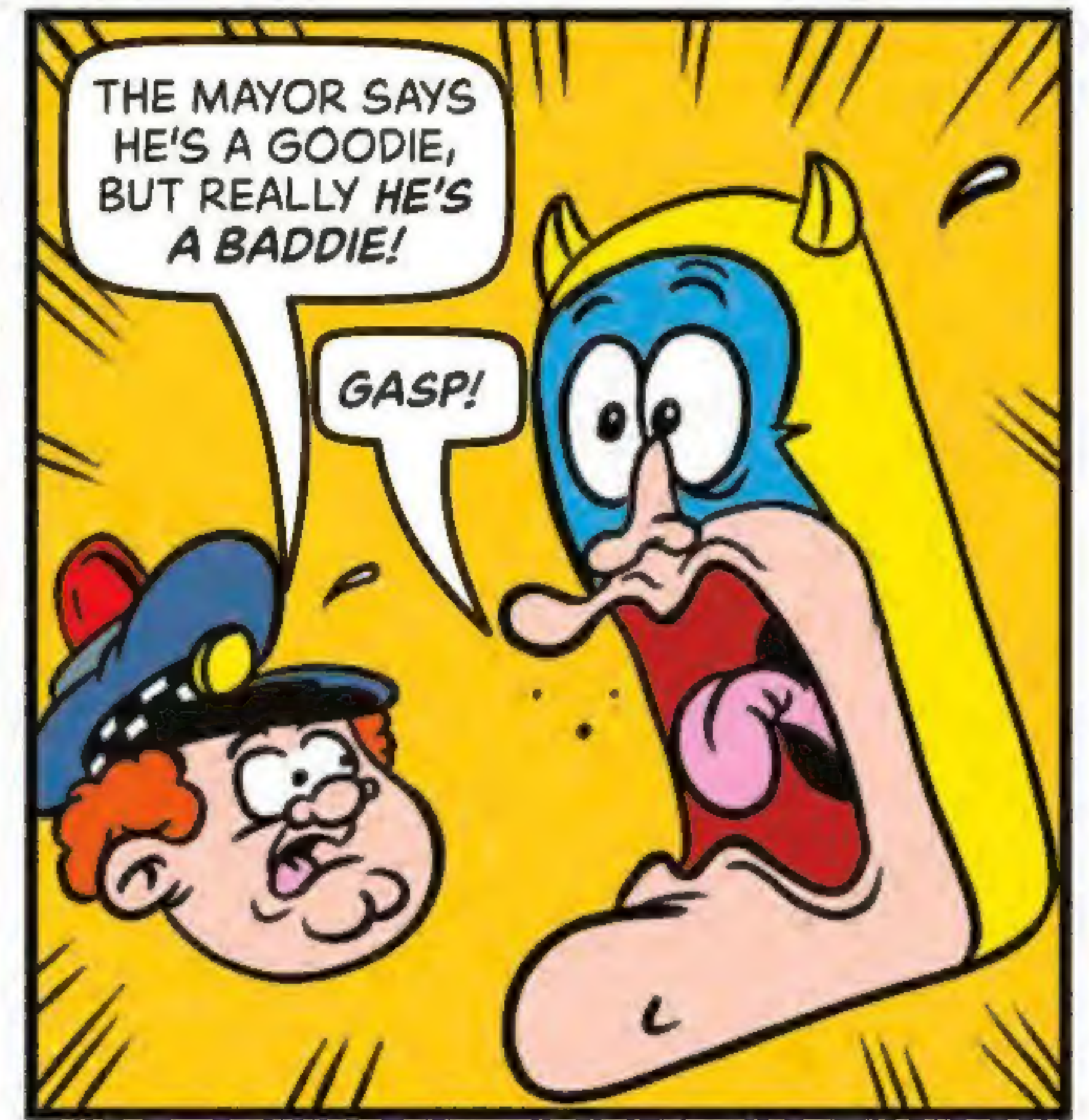
The funniest entry will be chosen by the Beano editor. Please see page 35 for important details. Did you know, one square metre of land can contain 100 worms?!

WHEN LITTLE ERIC EATS A BANANA, HE BECOMES... BANANAMAN









How do you tell if a flea has bitten you? **Start from scratch!**

KRAKEN UP!

THESE JOKES ARE MONSTROUS!

WHY ARE MUMMIES
THE BEST DETECTIVES?
THEY KNOW HOW TO WRAP
UP A MYSTERY!

WHAT DO MONSTERS
ORDER WITH A SANDWICH?
GHOUL-SLAW!

WHAT HANGS
FROM MONSTER
TREES?
FRANKEN-VINES!

WHY DID THE
MONSTER NEED
LIP BALM?
THEIR LIPS WERE
KRAKEN!

WHY IS
FRANKENSTEIN'S
MONSTER
ALWAYS
SMILING?
THE DOCTOR
KEEPS HIM IN
STITCHES!

WHAT'S THE MOST
DANGEROUS BIT
OF A HAUNTED
HOUSE?
THE MON-STAIRS!

WHY COULDN'T
THE MUMMY GO TO
WITCH SCHOOL?
THEY COULDN'T SPELL!

WHY DO CYCLOPS GET
ALONG SO WELL?
THEY ALWAYS SEE EYE
TO EYE!

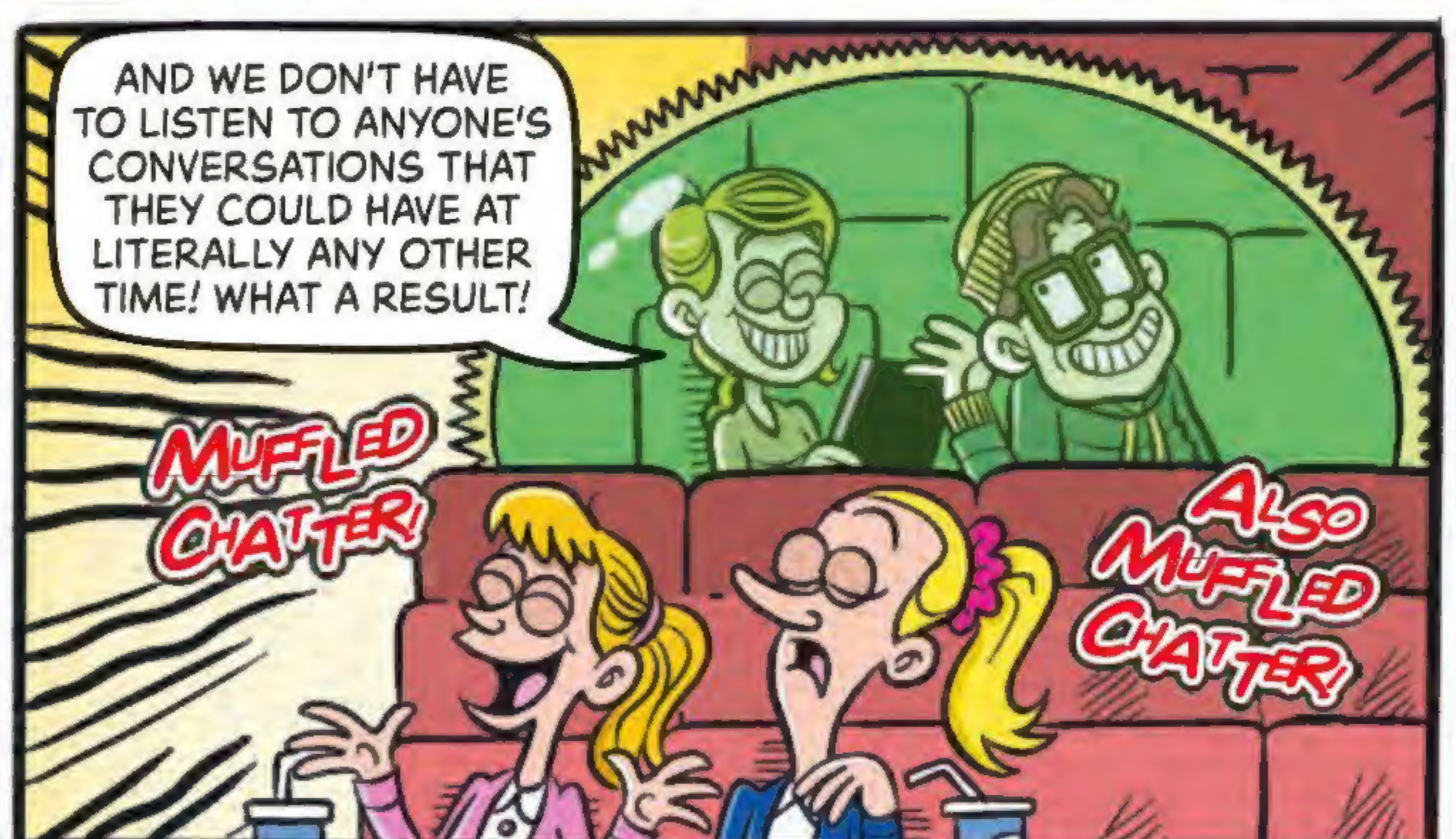
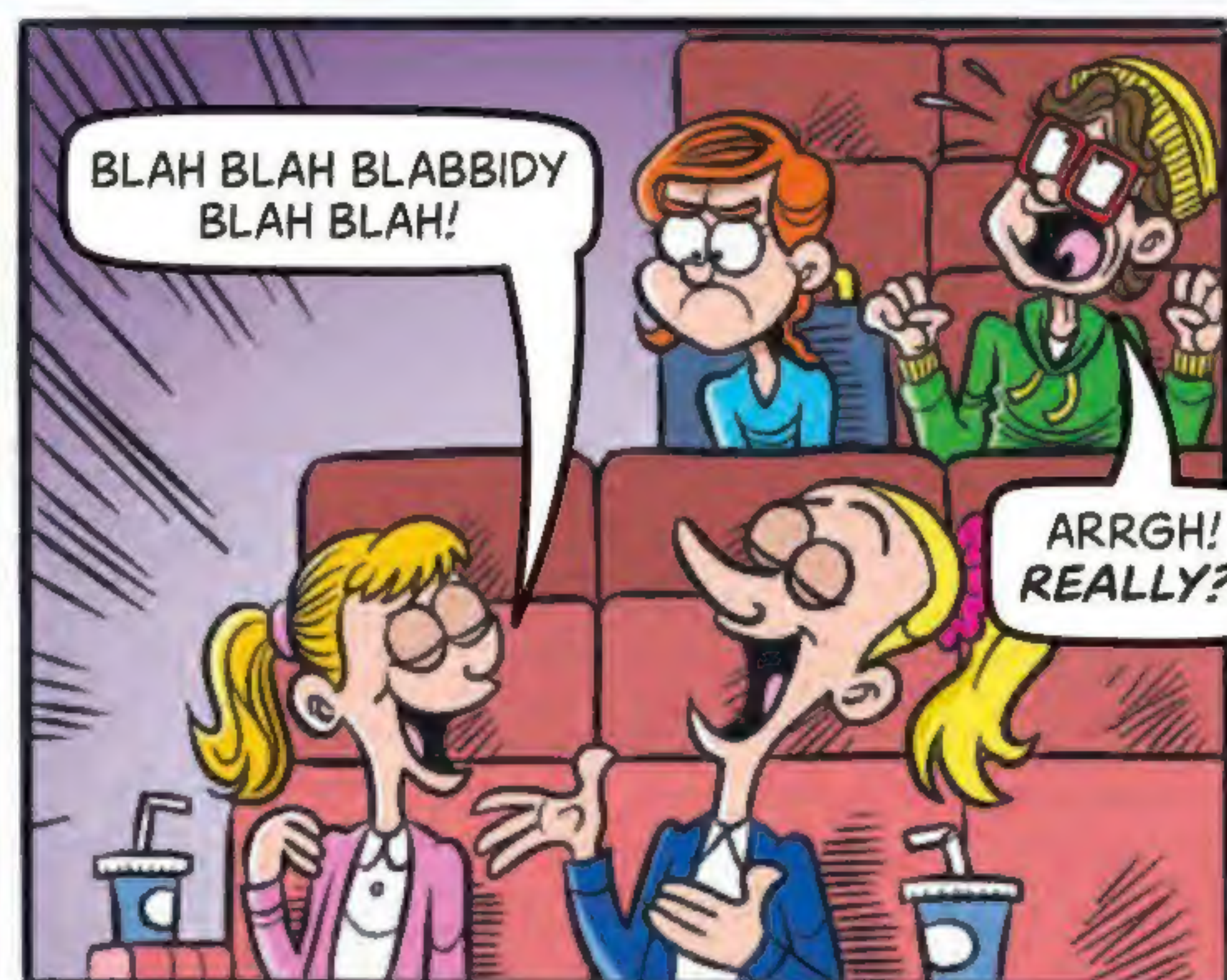
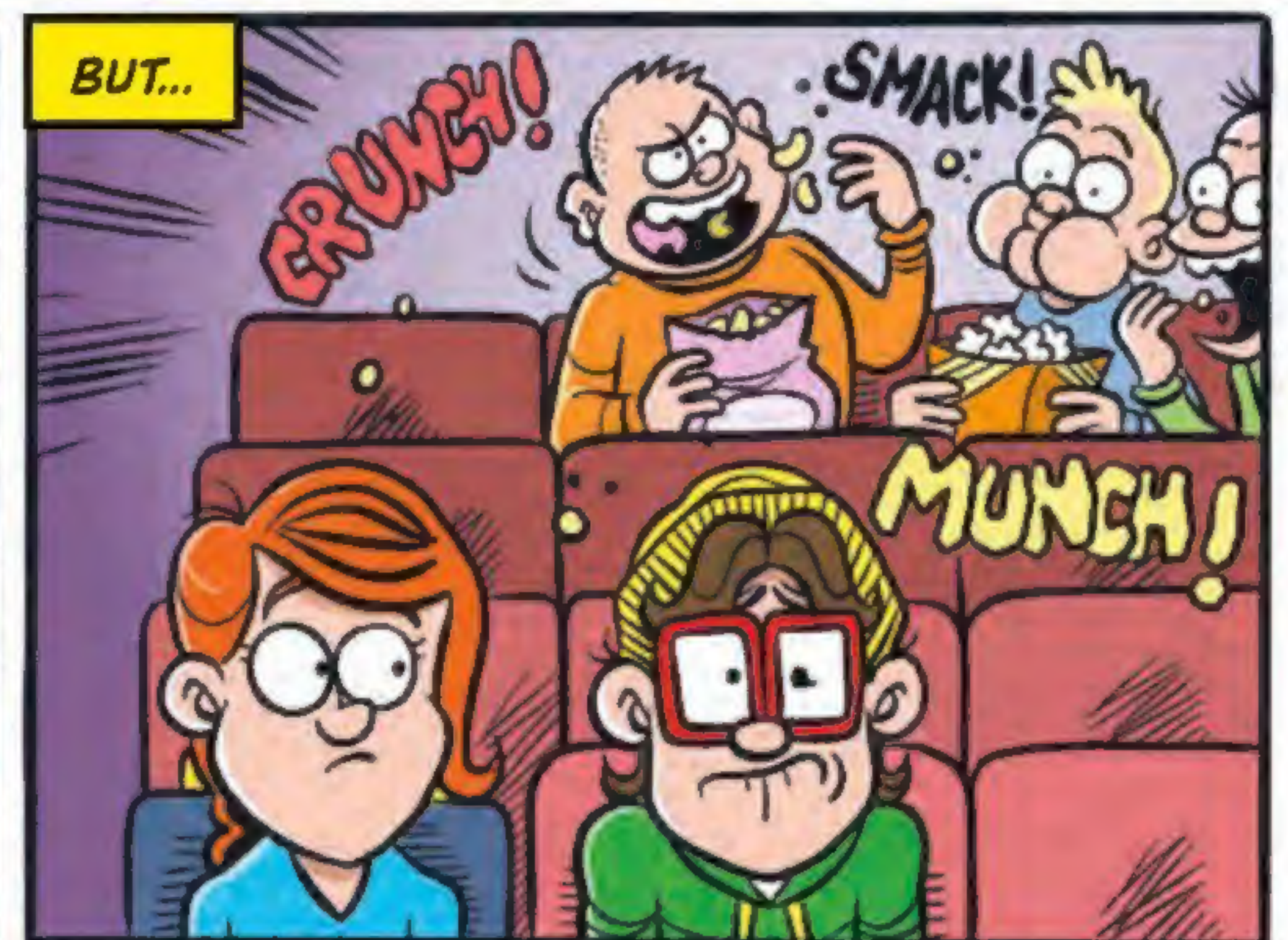
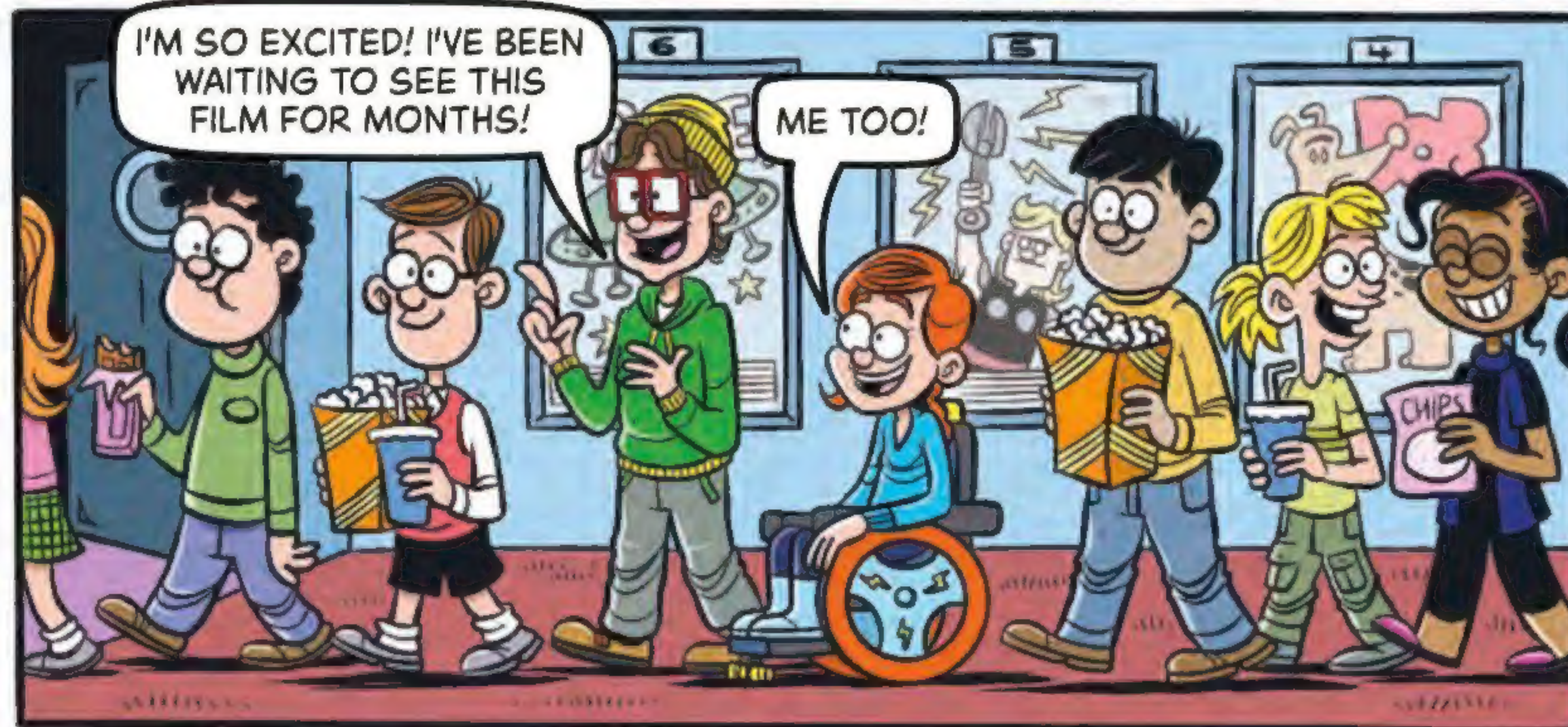


ART: Wayne Thompson



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RUBI'S SCREWTOP SCIENCE



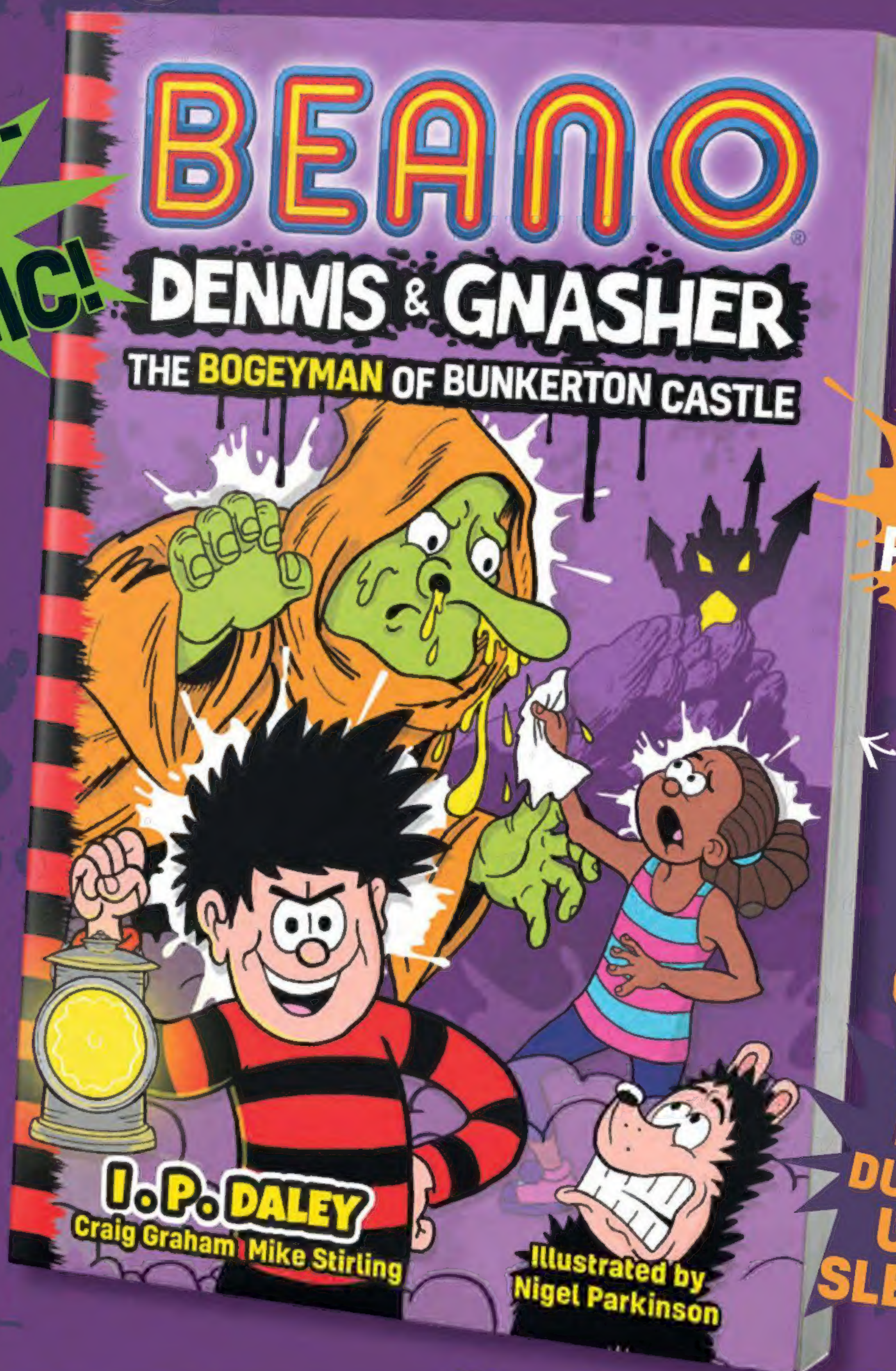
WORDS: Jess Bradley ART: Mel Pratts



What do you call an interfering pig? **A nosy porker!**

WE DARE YOU TO FIND OUT HOW AFRAID YOU ARE OF THE BOGEYMAN!

A
BRAND-
NEW
BOOMIC!



TOLD
WITH
FUNNY
PICTURES

CAN DENNIS
AND FRIENDS
STAY UNTIL
MORNING
DURING THE
ULTIMATE
SLEEPOVER?!

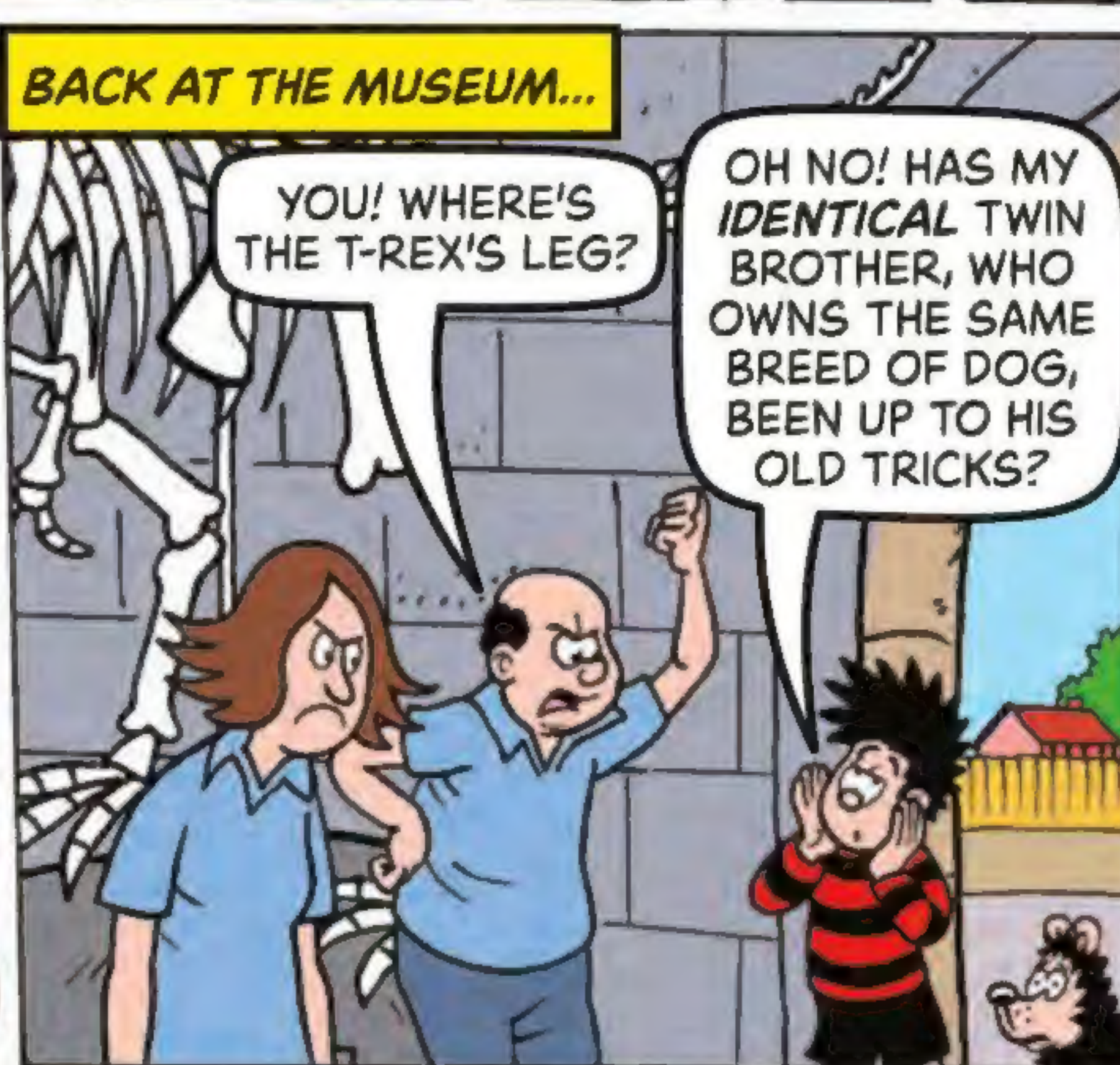


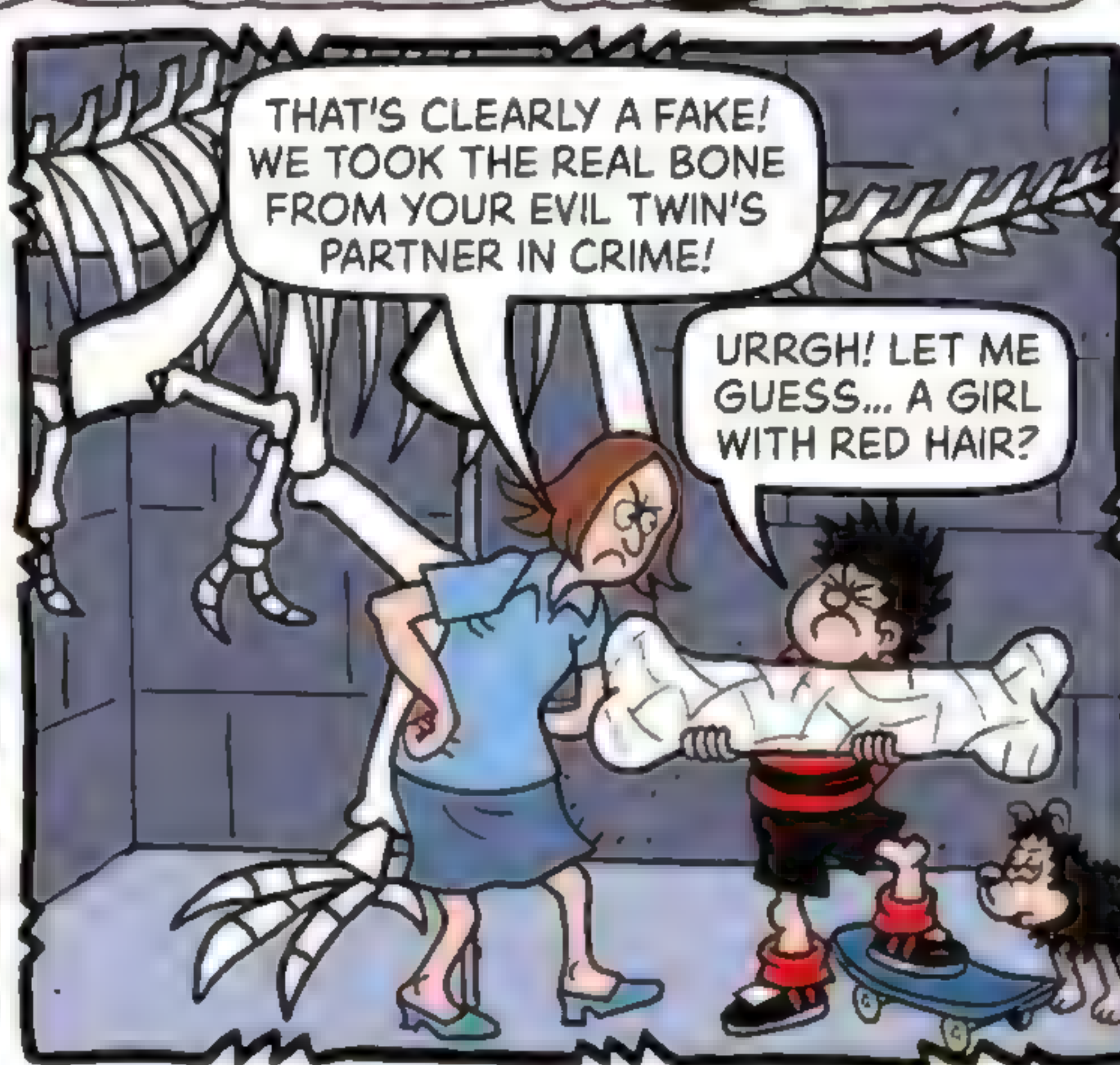
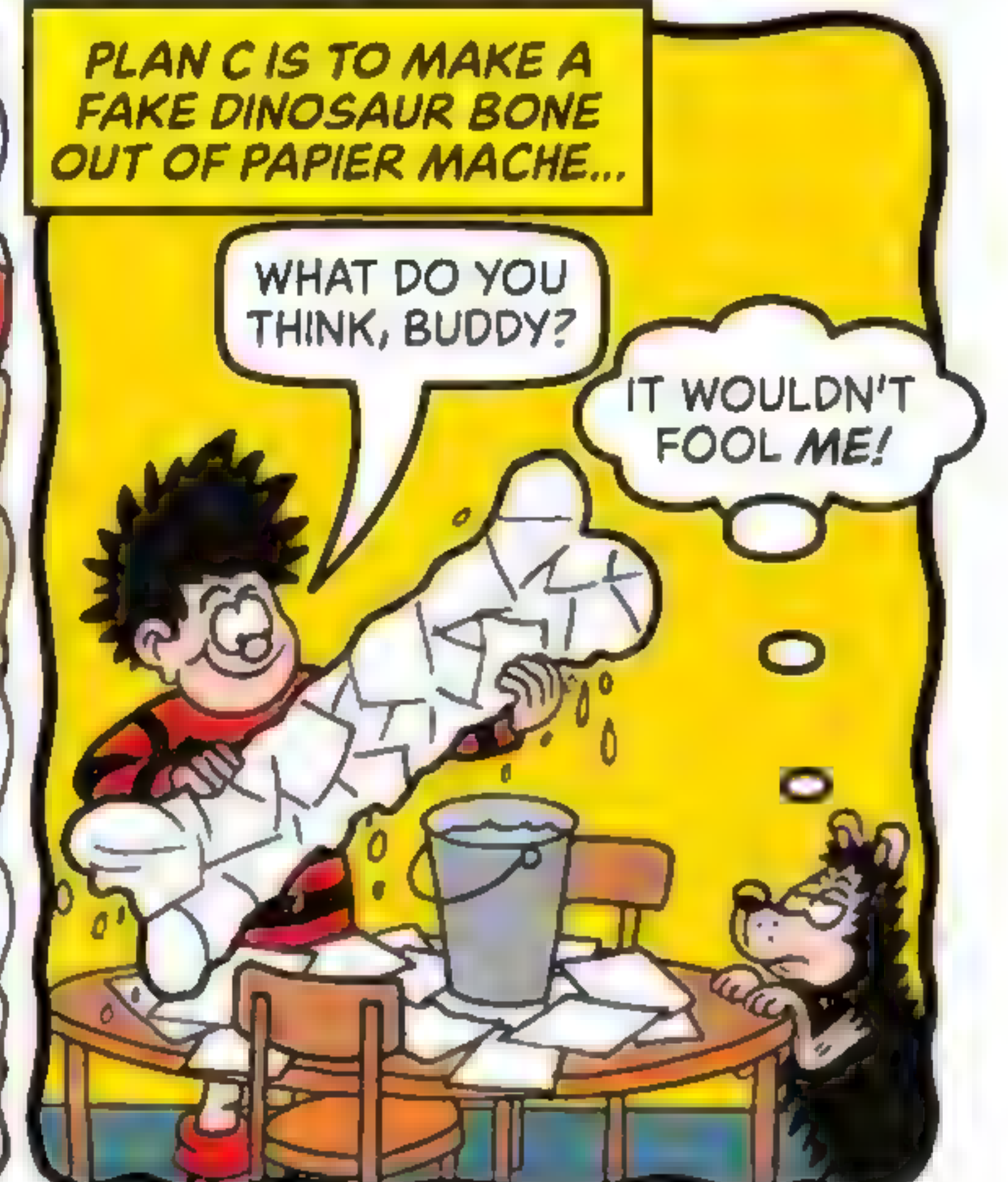
DENNIS & GNASHER UNLEASHED

AS SEEN ON CBBC!



I THINK DENNIS MEANS A WAY OF RETURNING THE BONE WITHOUT GETTING INTO MORE TROUBLE, GNASHER! - ED





What kind of fish do you find in a bird's cage? A perch!

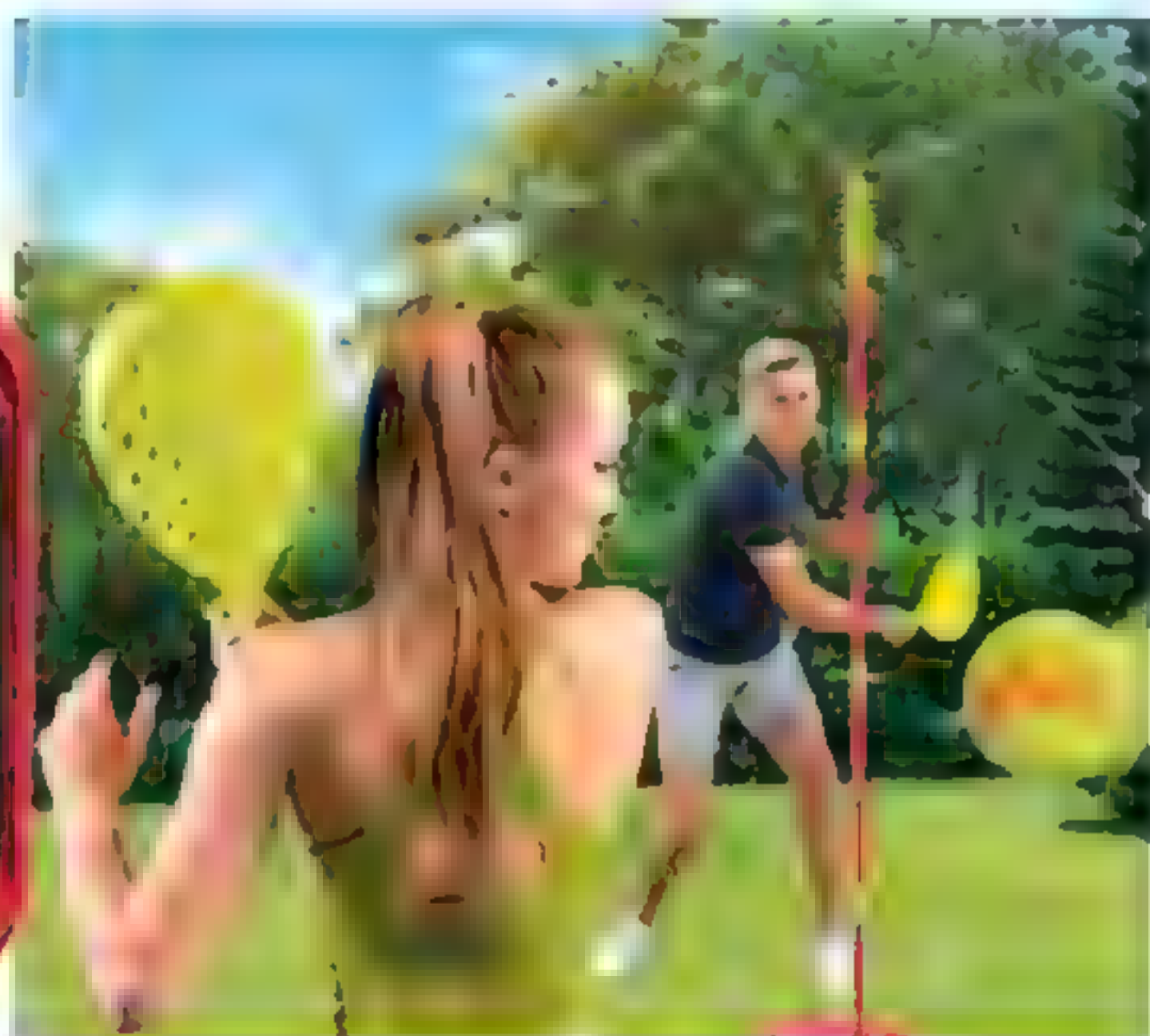
THIS JOKE IS HILARIOUS!



WIN!



We have **10 Classic All Surface Swingball** sets to give away! The base converts into a carry case so you can take it everywhere you go. Play at the park, in your garden or even at the beach. Entrants must be age six or over.



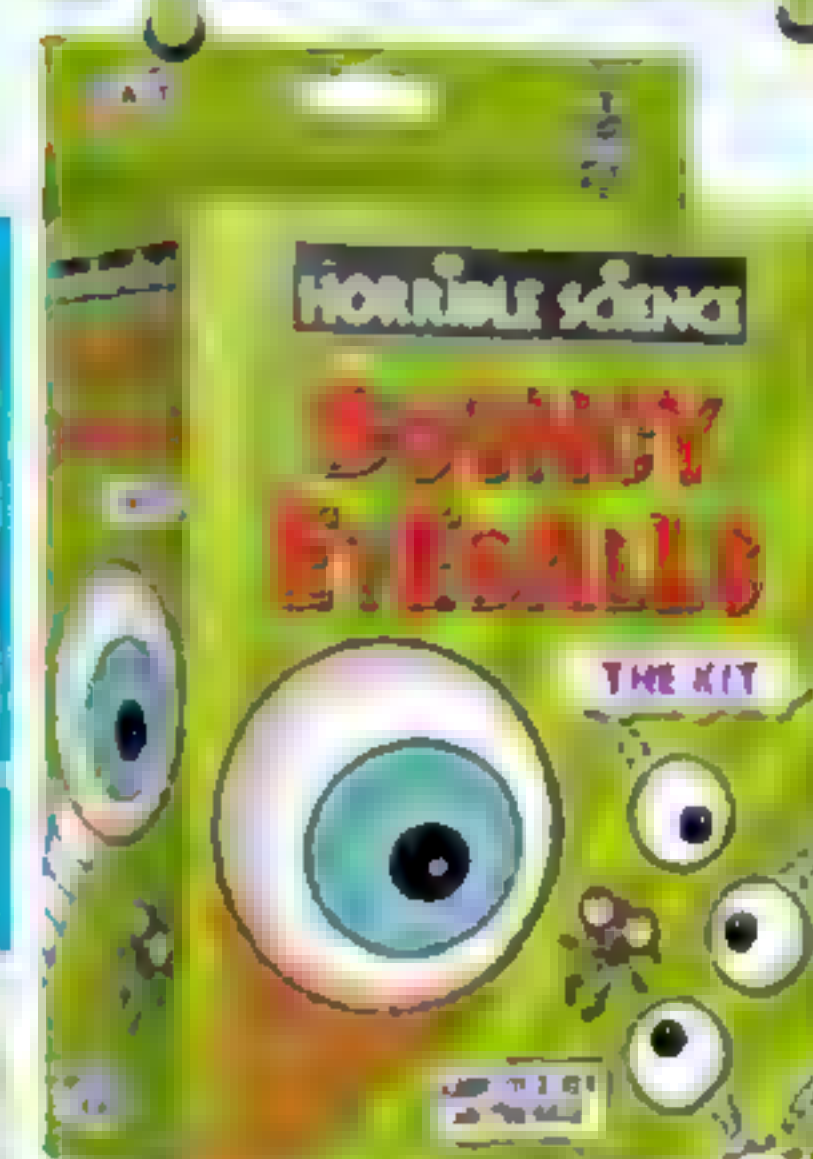
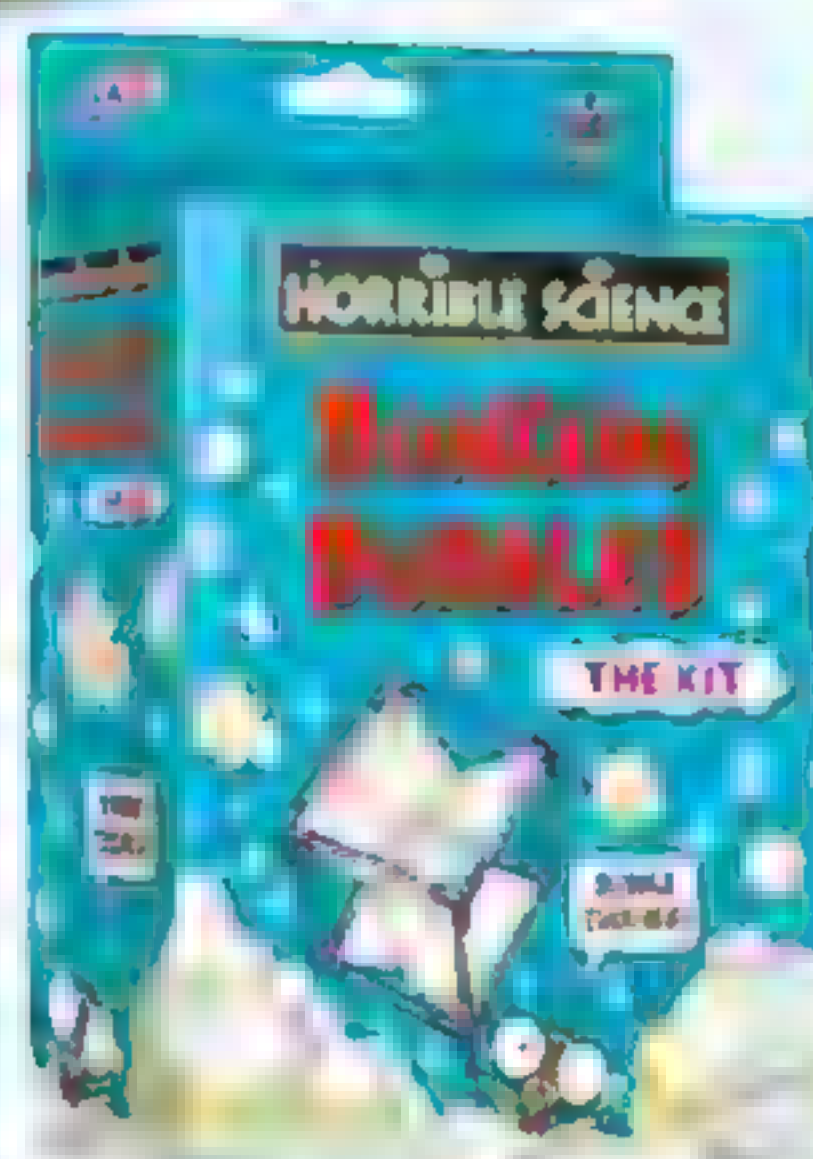
To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

WHICH OF THESE ISN'T A TENNIS TOURNAMENT?

A US OPEN B FRENCH OPEN C WIMPLEDON

WIN!

HORRIBLE SCIENCE



Nine readers will win all these **Horrible Science** kits! Make your breakfast fly with **Frightful First Experiments**! Create ghastly glow-in-the-dark **Bouncy Eyeballs** and blow 3D mega **Bonkers Bubbles**! Entrants must be age six or over.

To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

WHICH OF THESE CREATURES HAS EIGHT EYES?

A SPIDER B SNAIL C SLUG



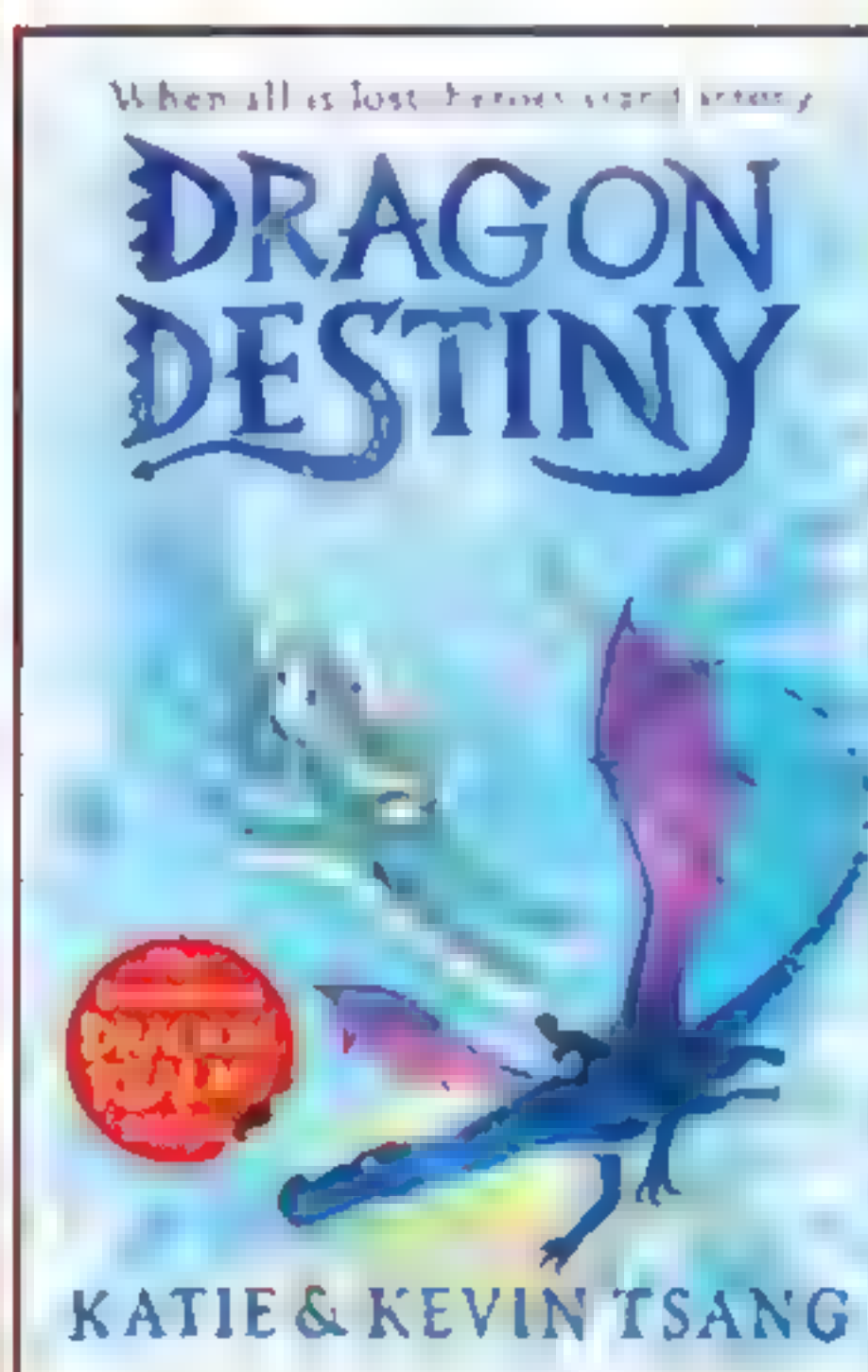
WIN!
ALL THIS...



WIN!



We have a star prize to be won of all five ROARsome **Dragon Realm books** PLUS the **NERF Elite 2.0 Ranger, Prospect and Motoblitz** blasters! 10 runners-up will get a **NERF Minecraft Ender Dragon Microshot** and the new **Dragon Realm: Dragon Destiny book**! Entrants must be age eight or over.



To have a chance of winning, just answer this question:

WHICH OF THESE IS THE STRONGEST MOB IN MINECRAFT?

**A ENDER DRAGON
B RAVAGER
C IRON GOLEM**

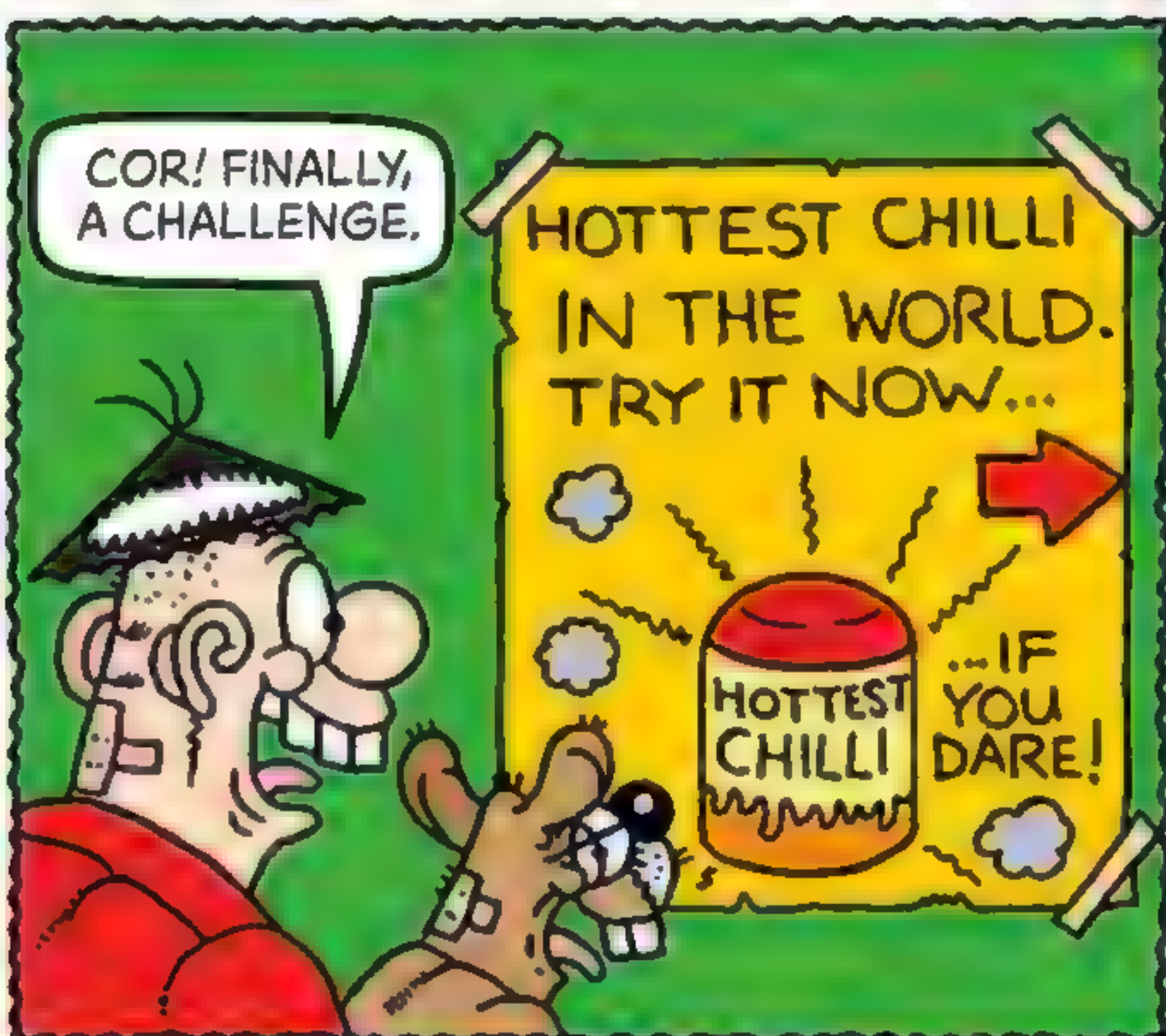
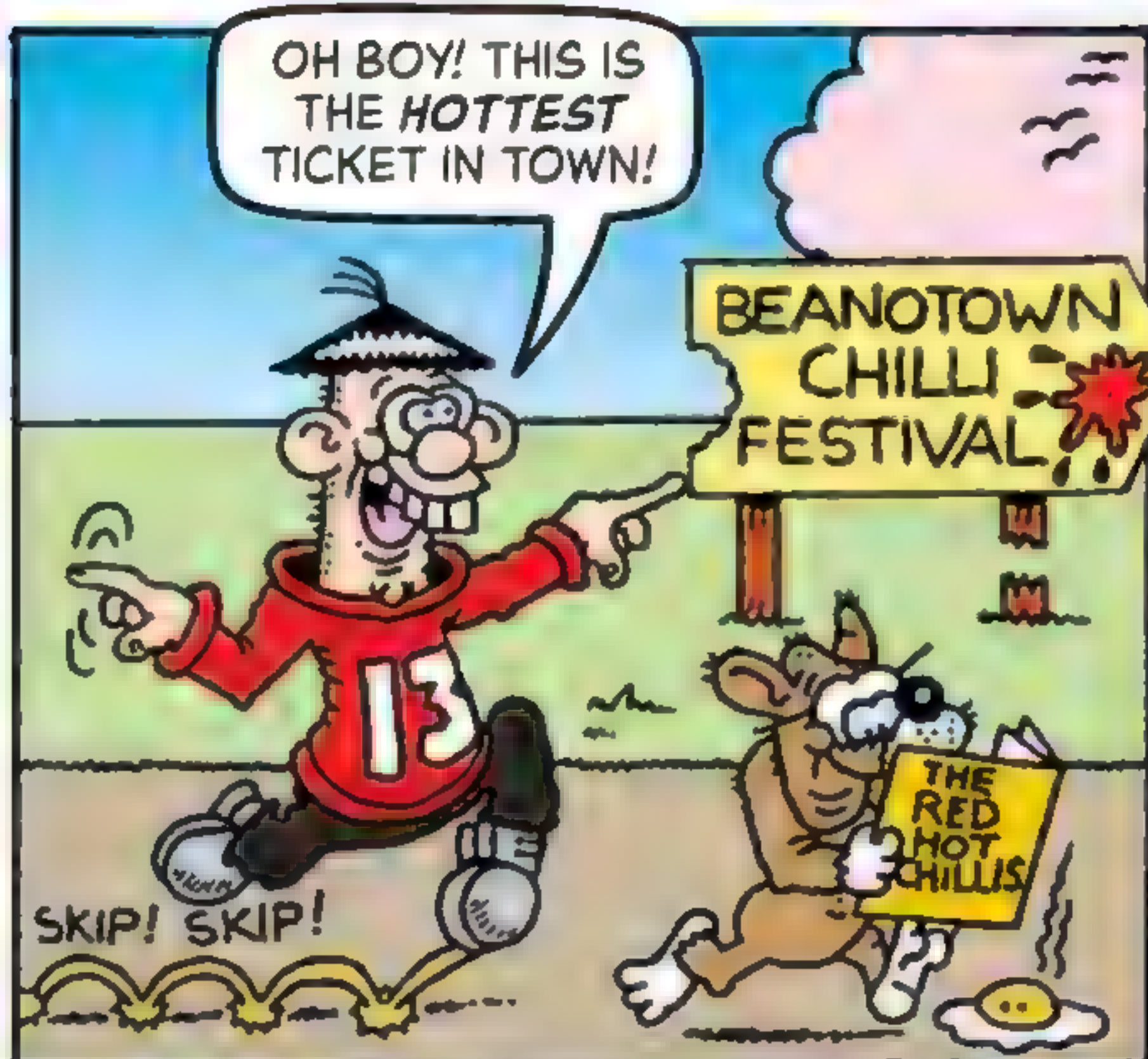
HOW TO ENTER!

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CALAMITY JAMES



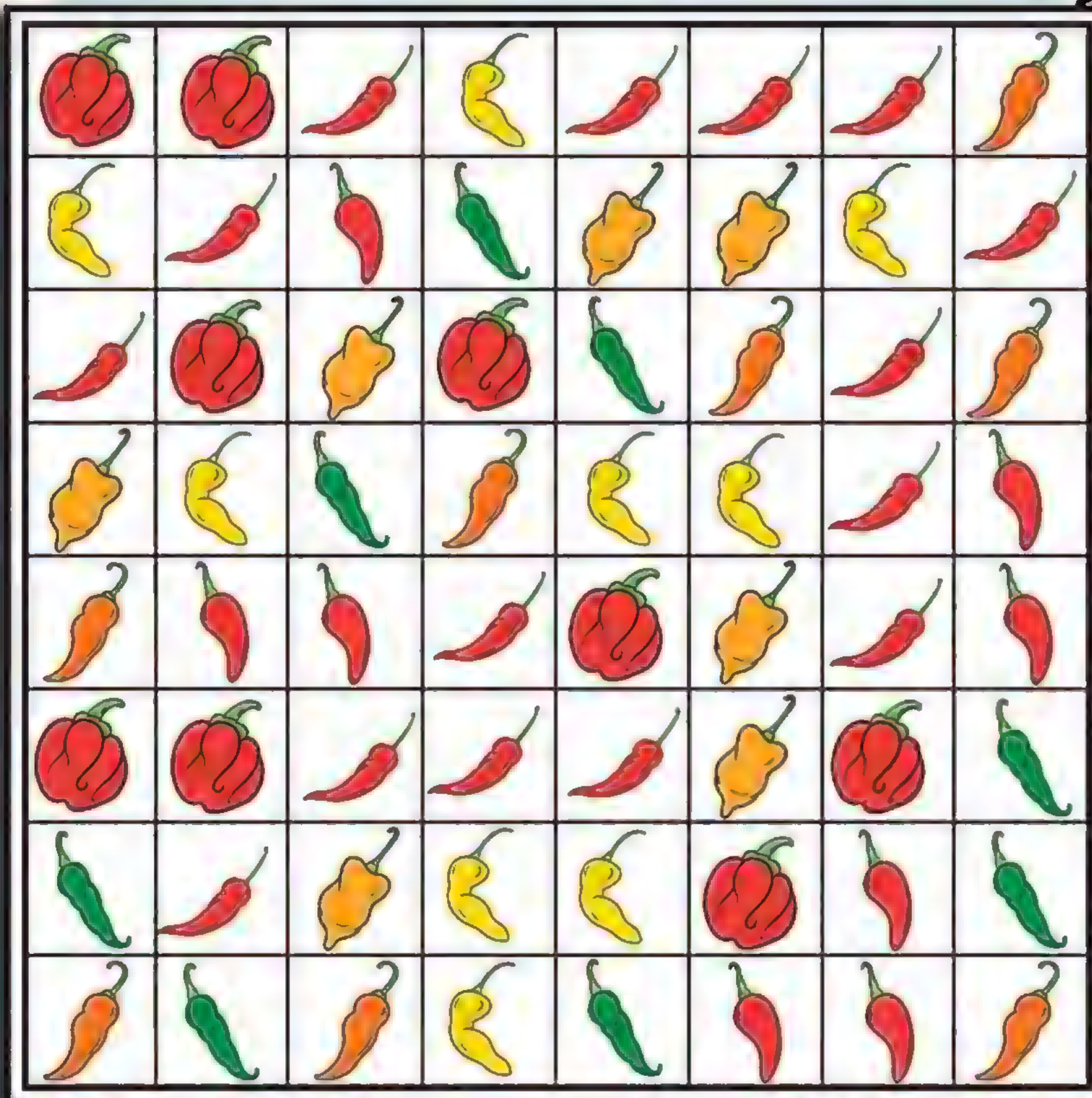
THE UNLUCKIEST BOY IN THE WORLD!



CHILLI OUT!

How many lines of three chillis can you find in this grid?

THIS IS THE CHILLI YOU ARE LOOKING FOR:

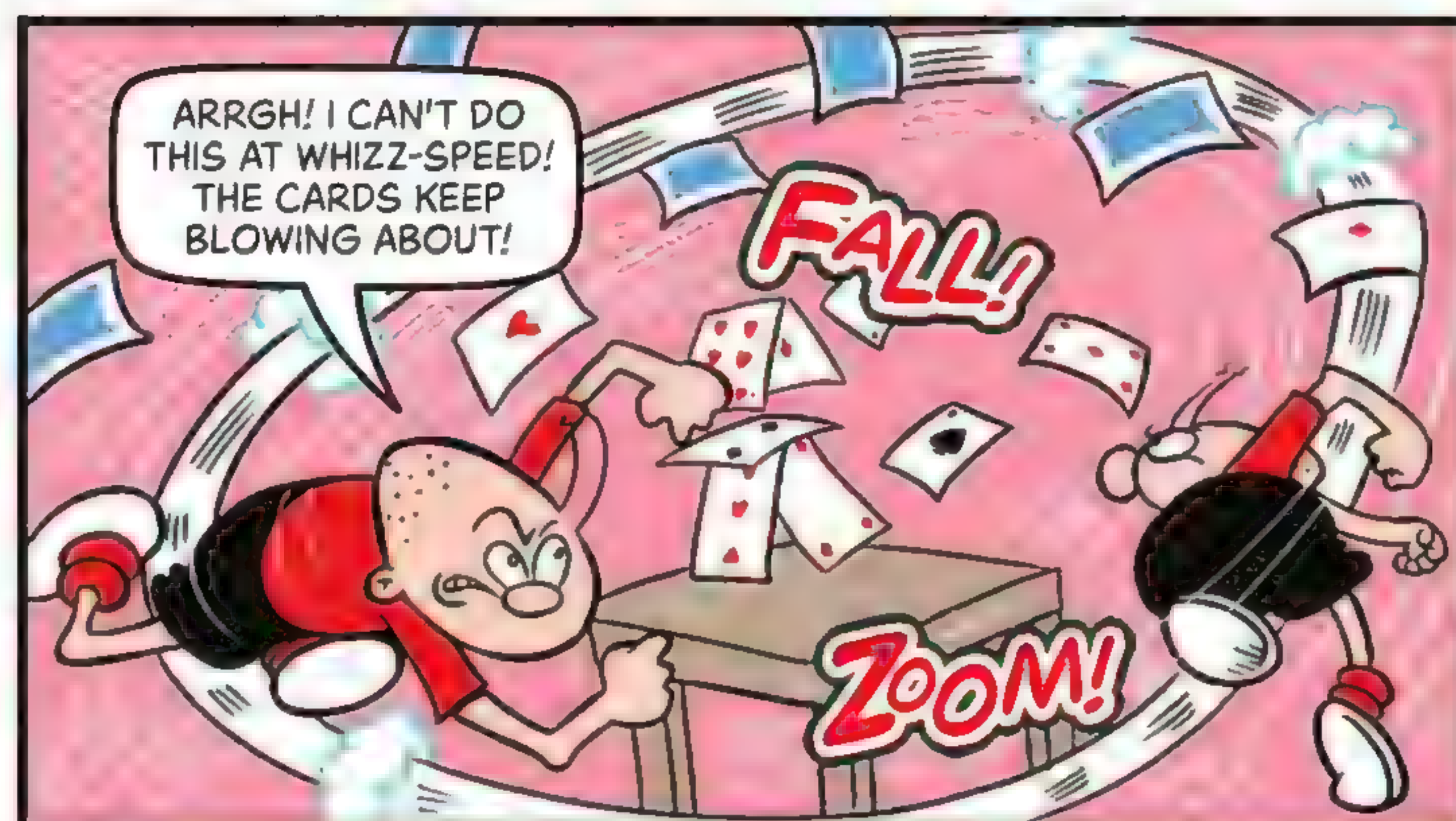
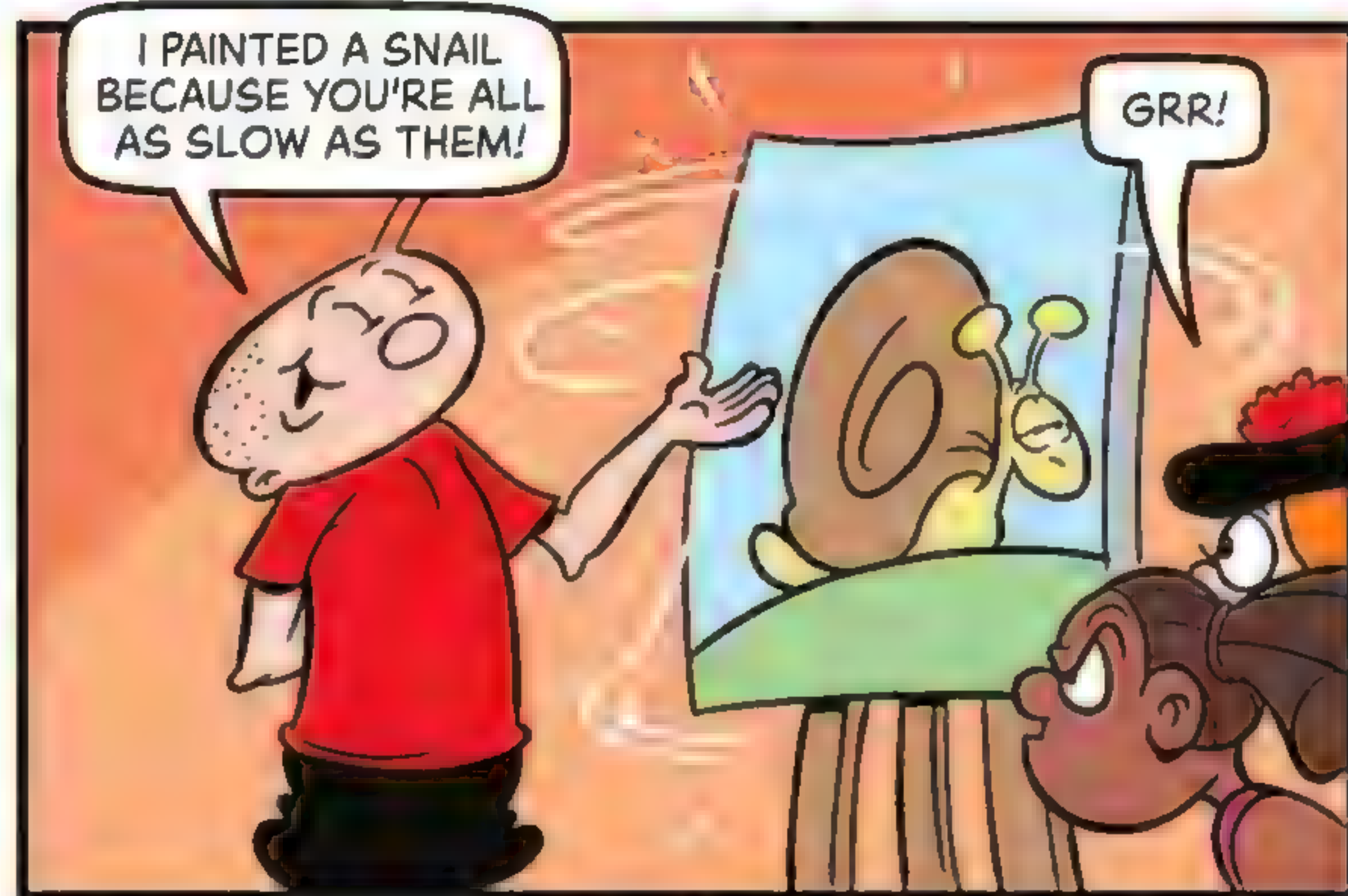
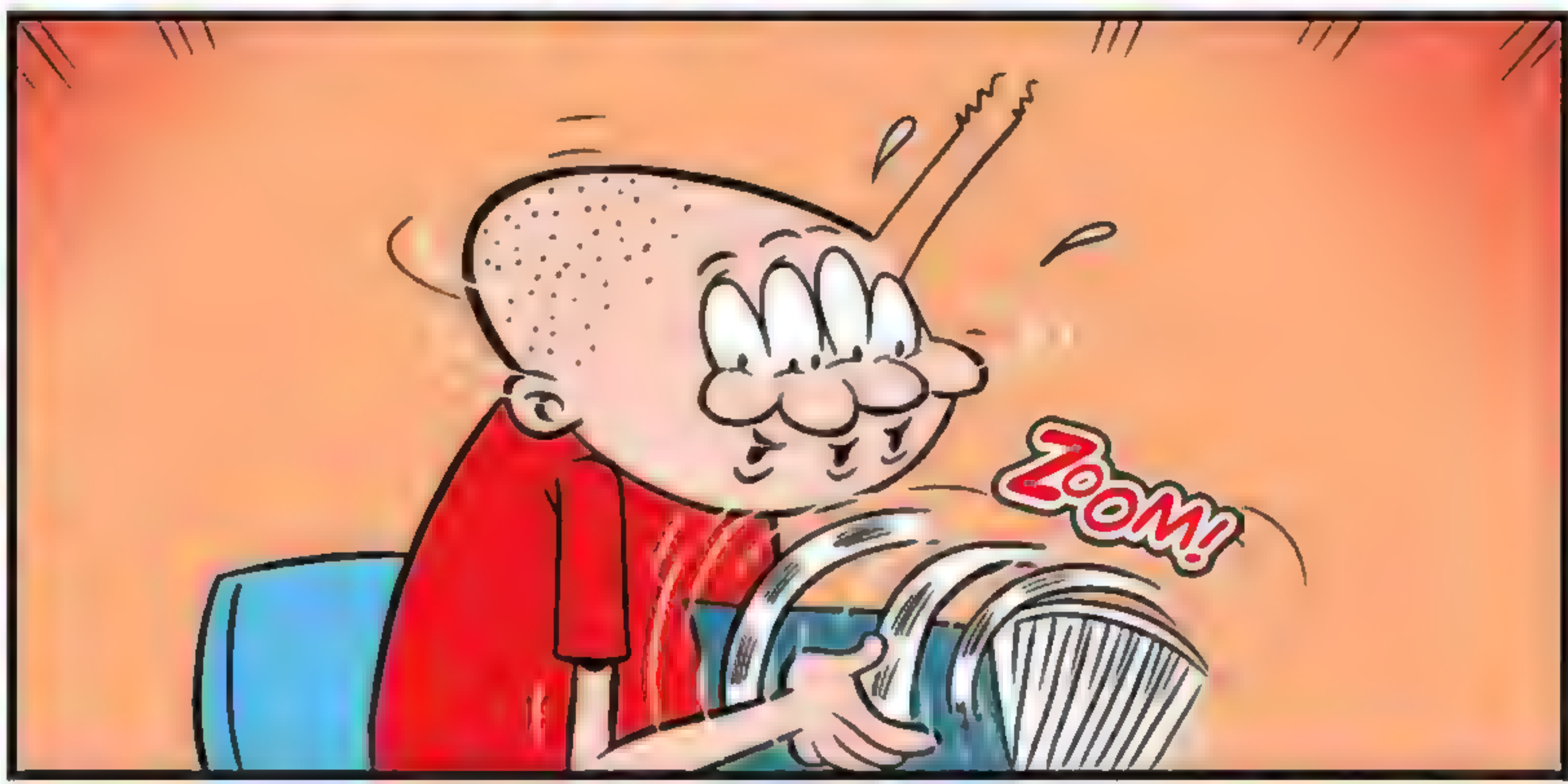


ART: Steve Beckett



BILLY WHIZZ

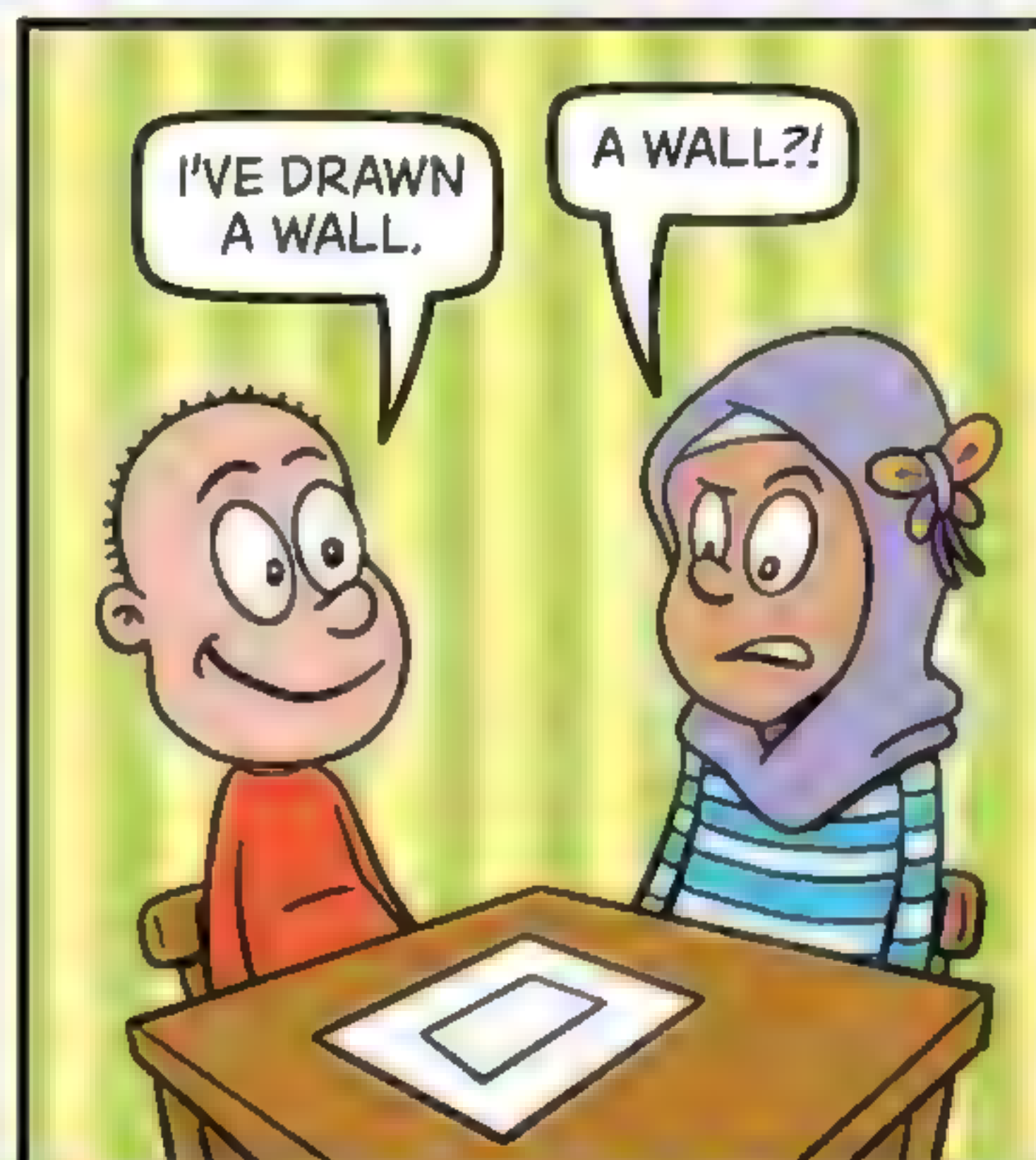
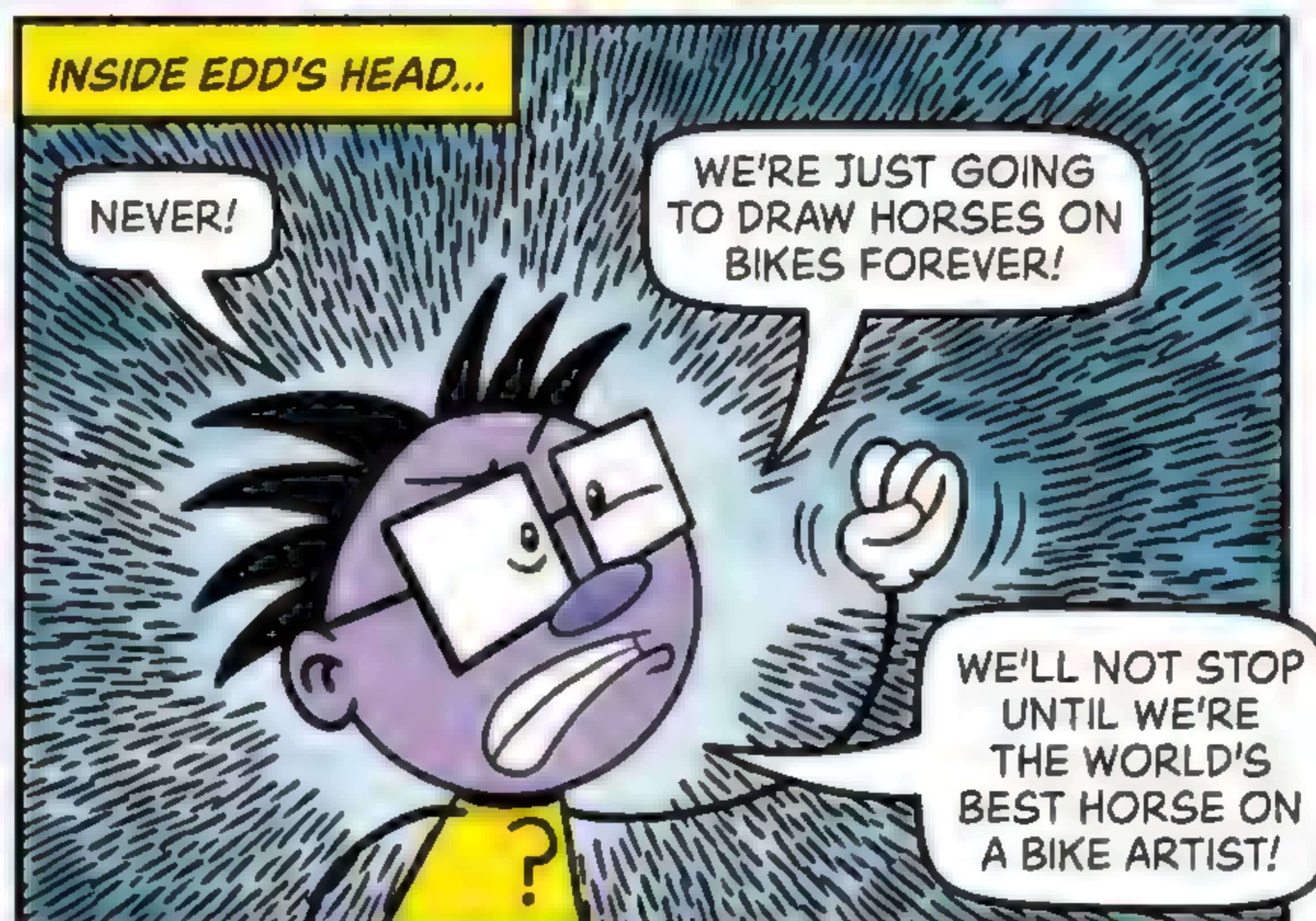
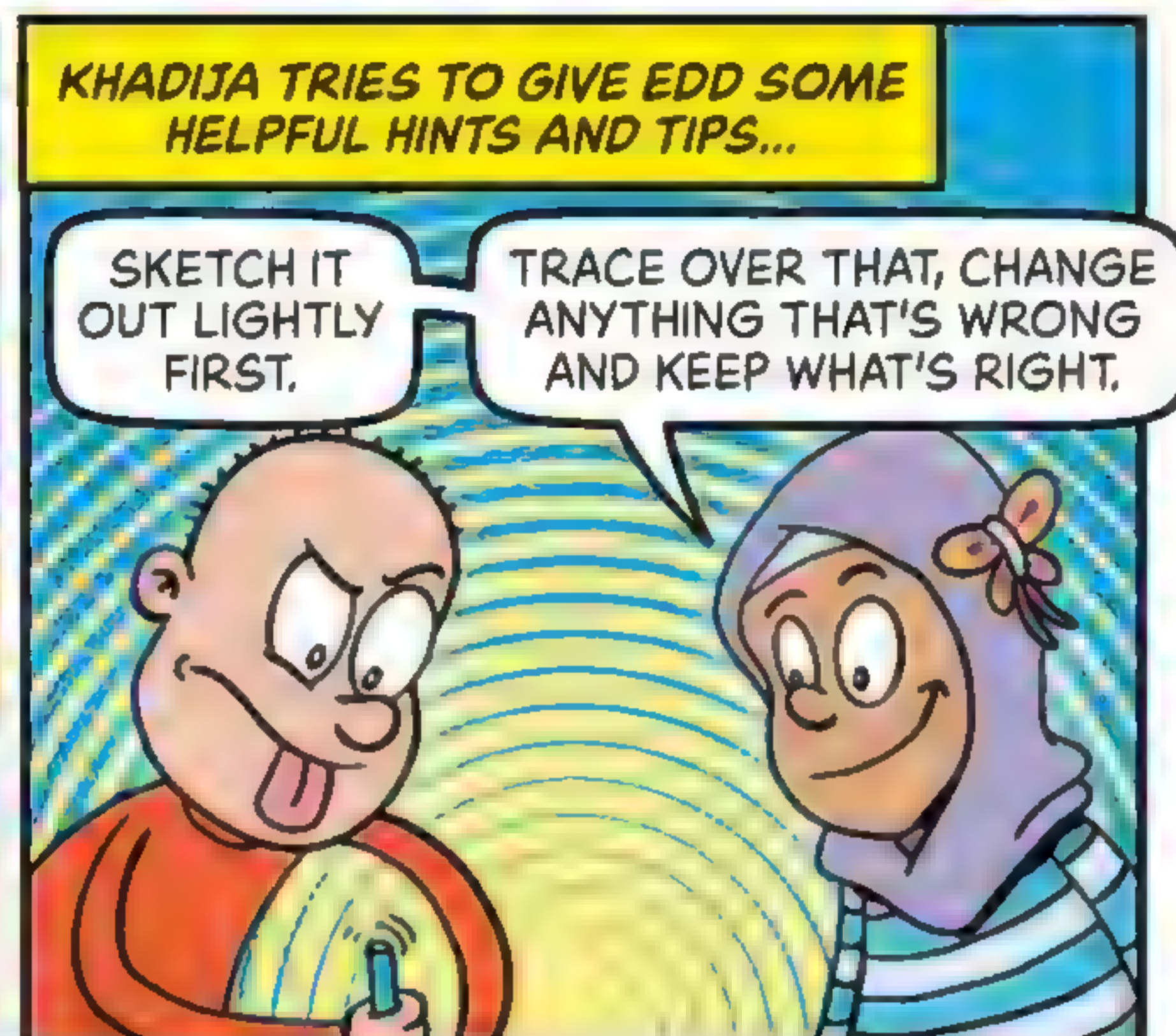
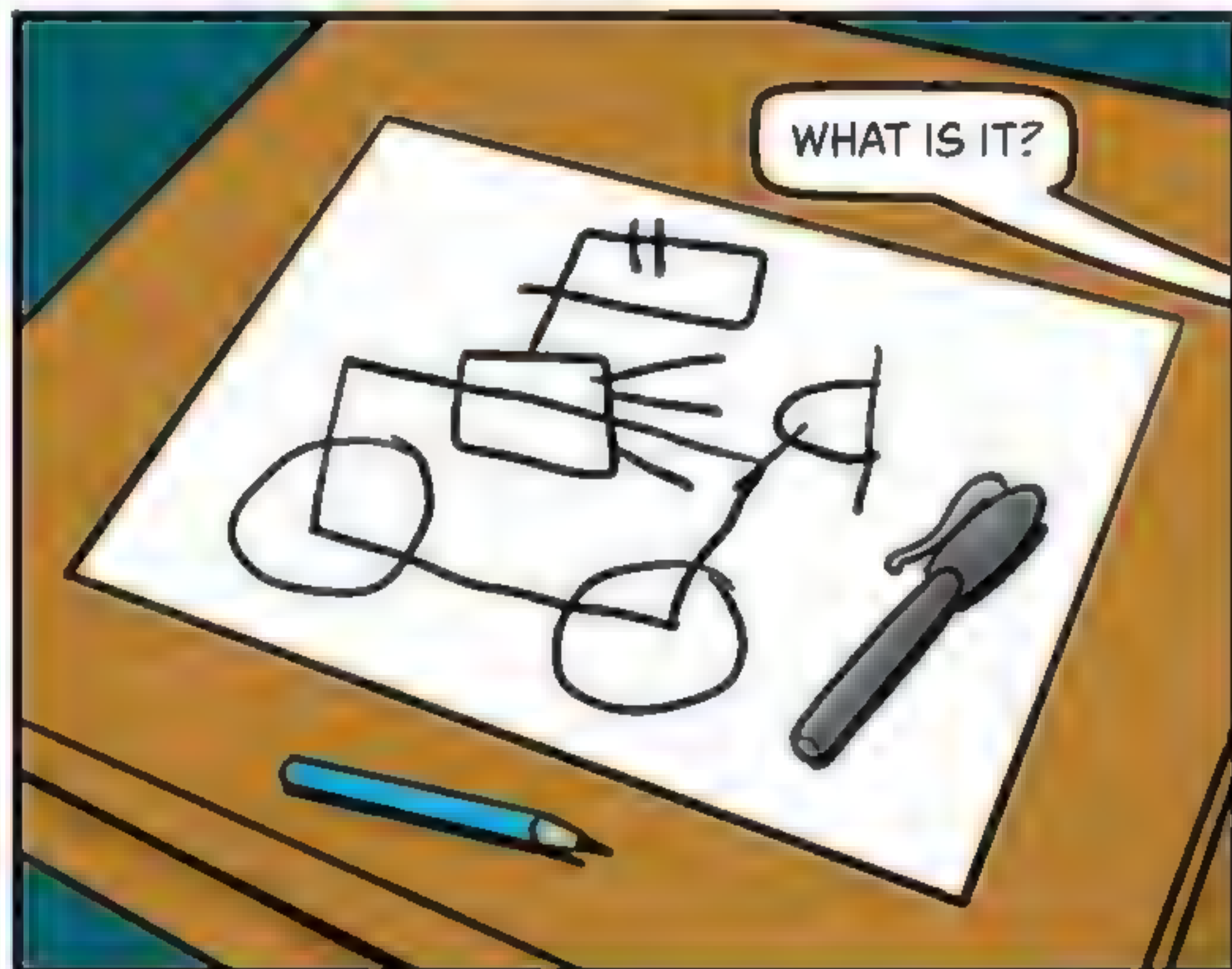
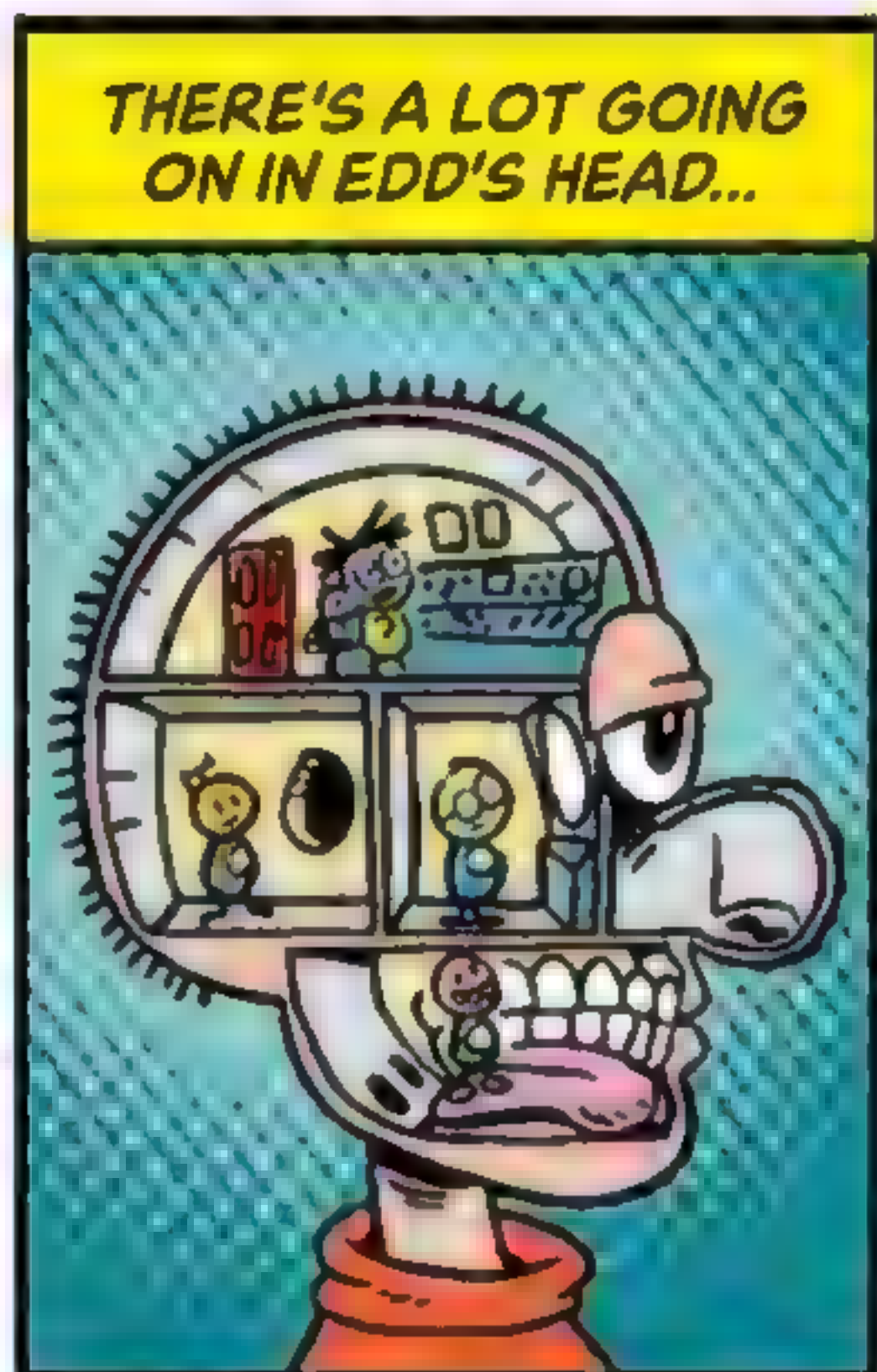
THE FASTEST BOY IN THE WORLD!

NUMSKULLS



The Little people that Live in your head! Everybody has them!



WORDS & ART: Nigel Auchterlounie



What is green and sings in the garden? **Elvis Parsley!**

HANDY TIPS FOR DRAWING!

Draw like a pro by drawing around your hand to get a head start on your doodles!

THE COCK-A-DOODLE COCKATOO!



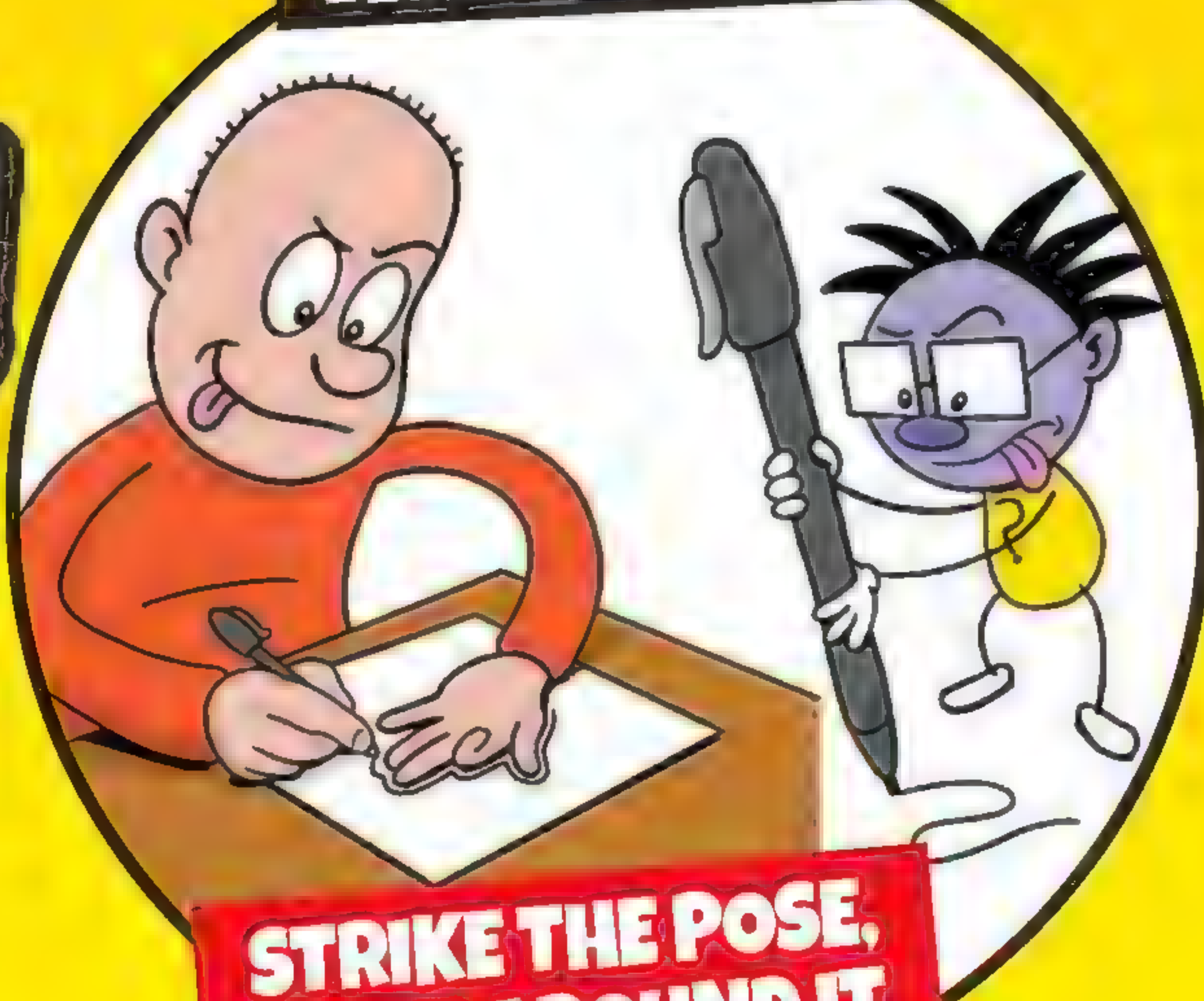
Use three different colours on the head feathers.

THE BILL-IANT DUCK!



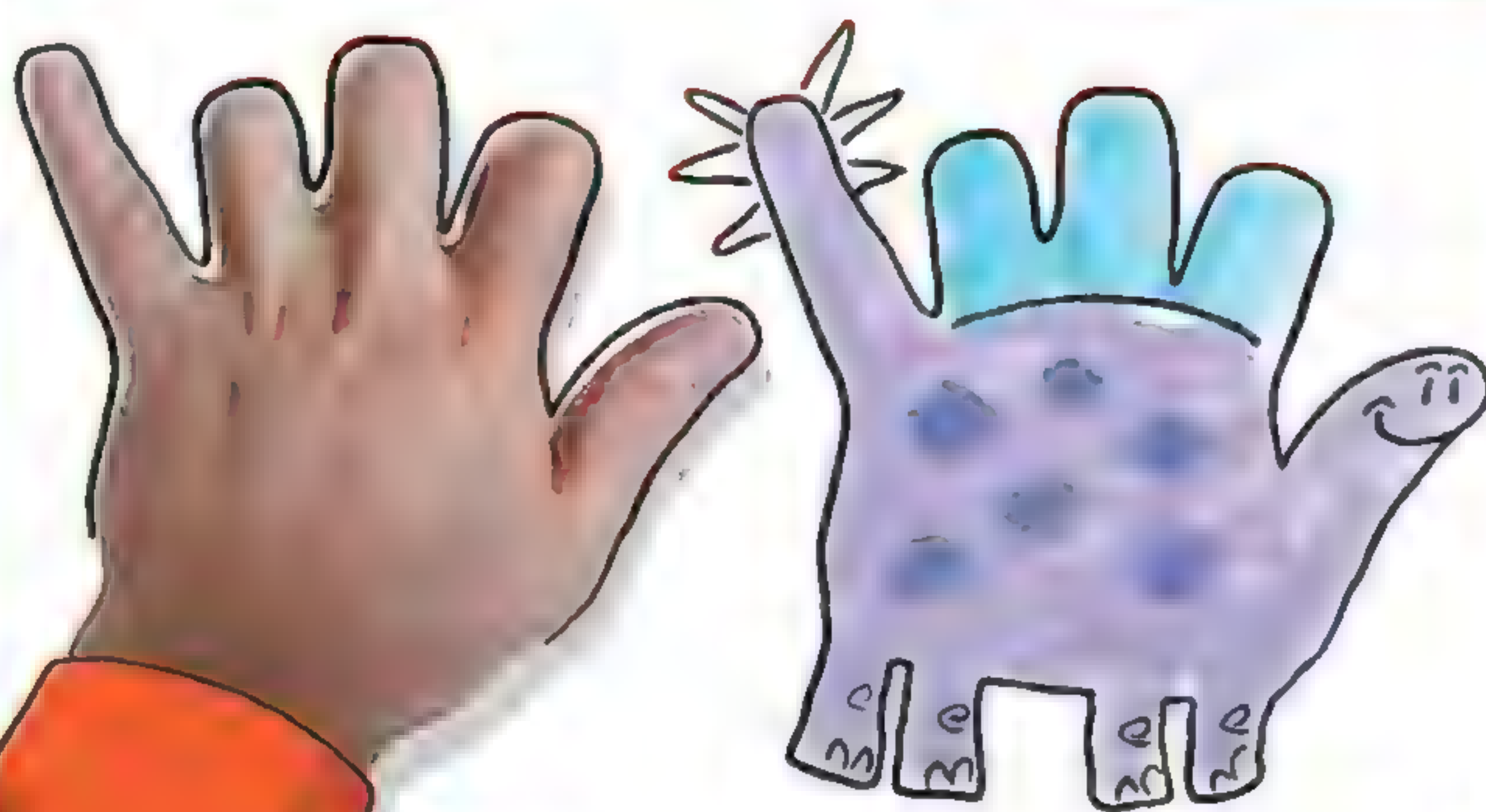
Add the lines to make a bonkers beak and eye.

WHAT TO DO!



STRIKE THE POSE, DRAW AROUND IT, THEN FILL IN THE REST OF THE PICTURE.

THE DINO-MITE DINOSAUR!



Just add the legs, face and club around its tail.

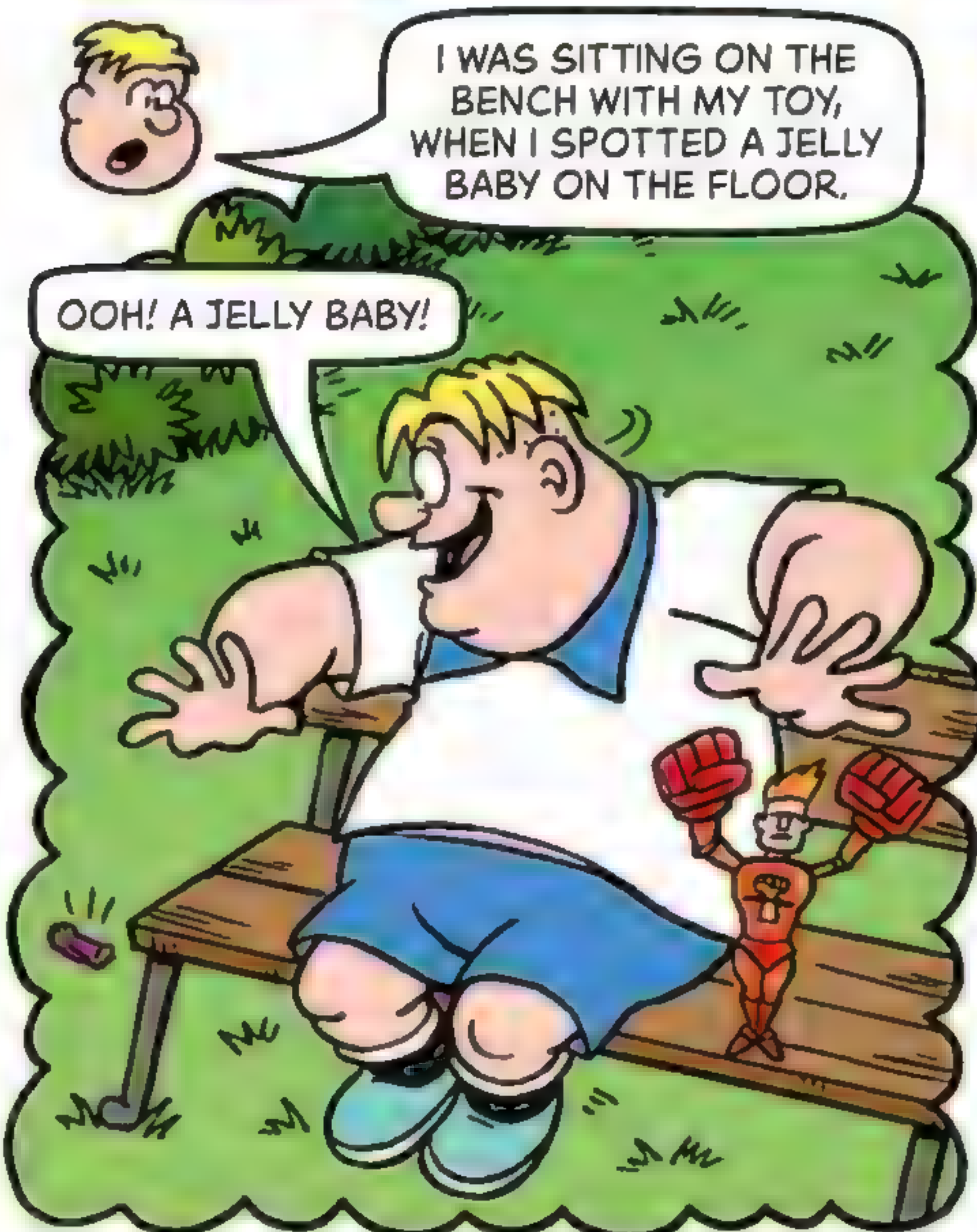
THE PAW-FECT DOG!



Draw on an eye, ear, snout and gnashers.

MINNIE THE MINX

SHE'S COMPLETELY UNSTOPPABLE!

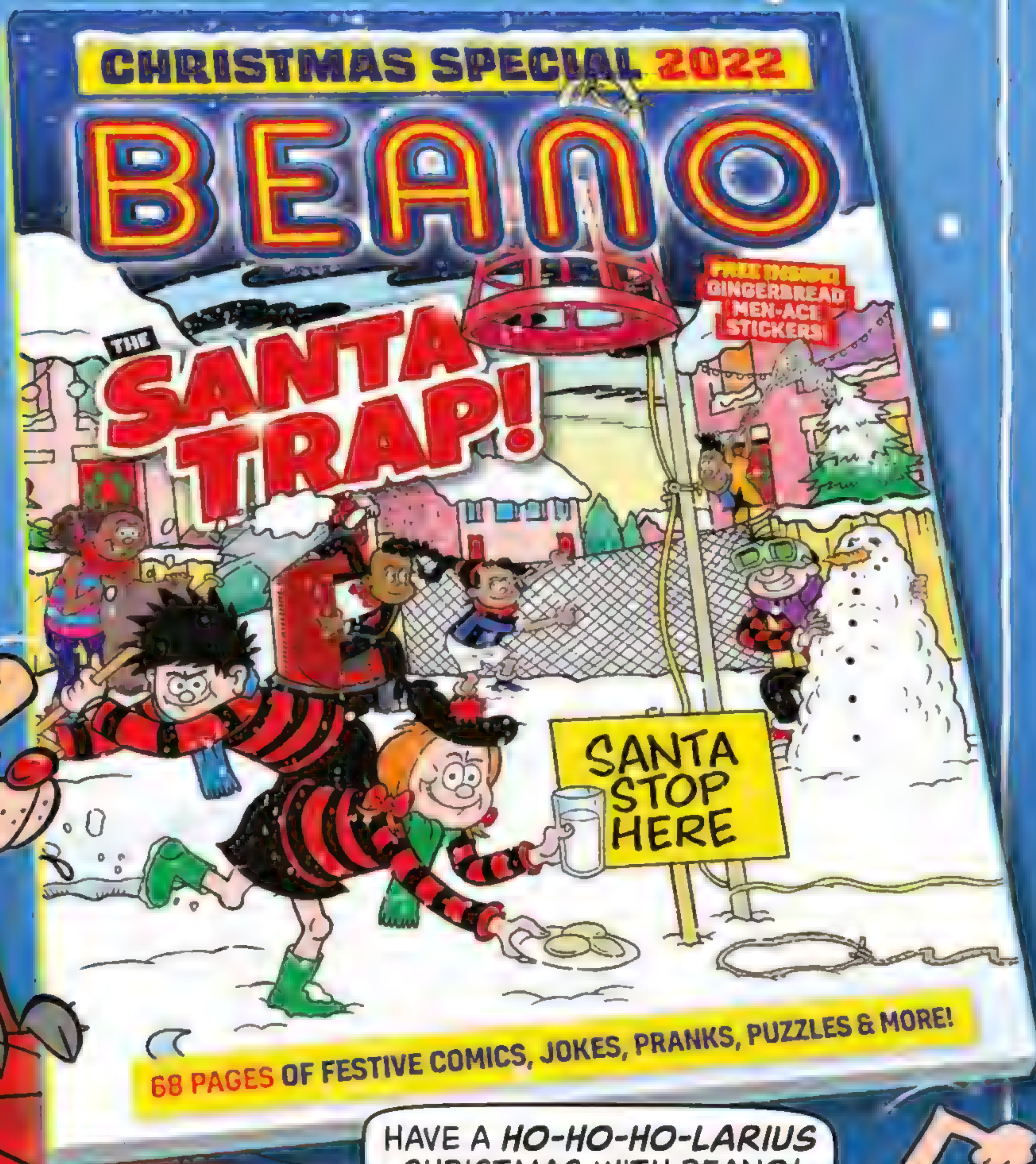




What's it called when a police officer goes to bed? **Laying down the law!**

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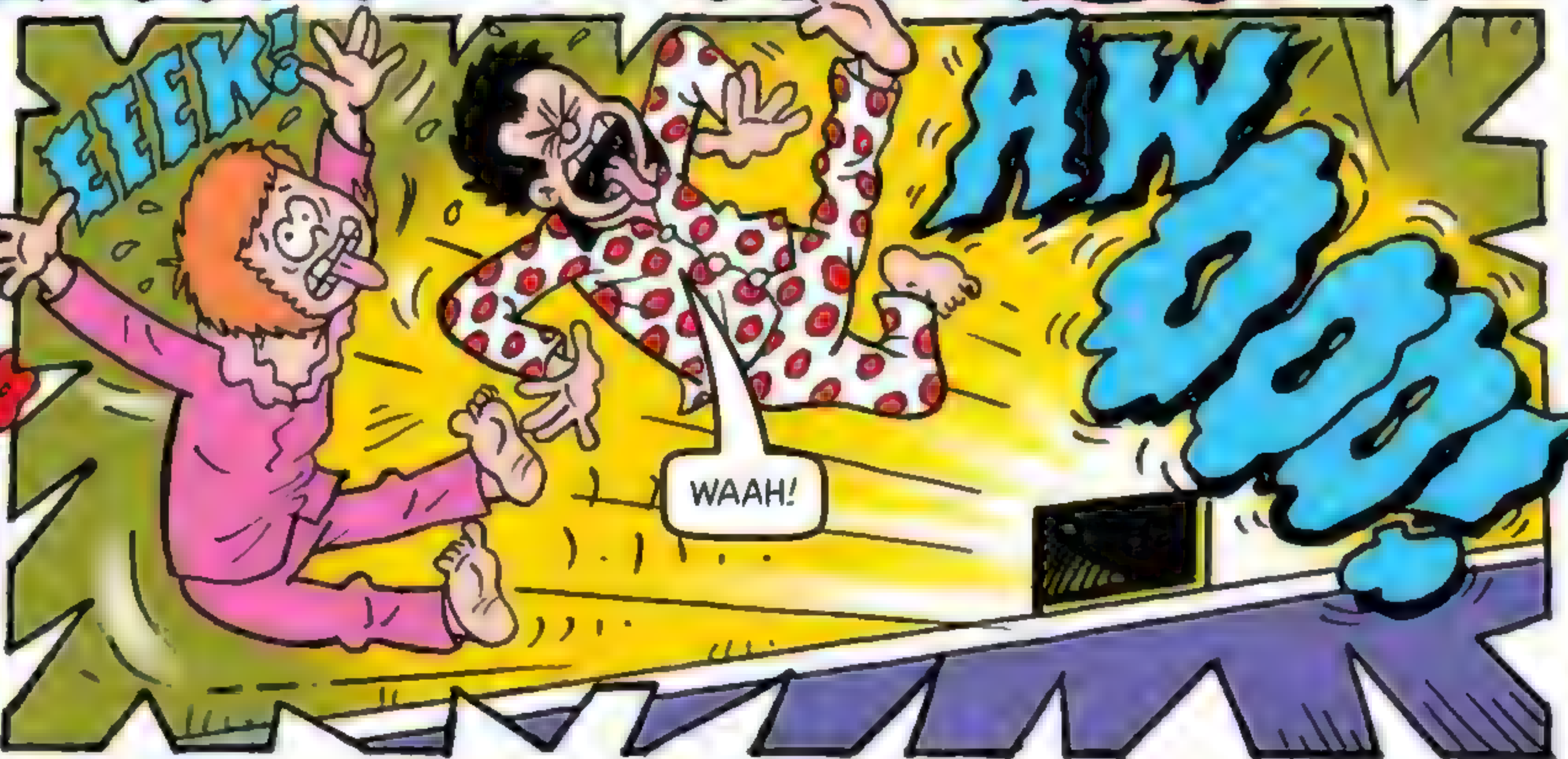
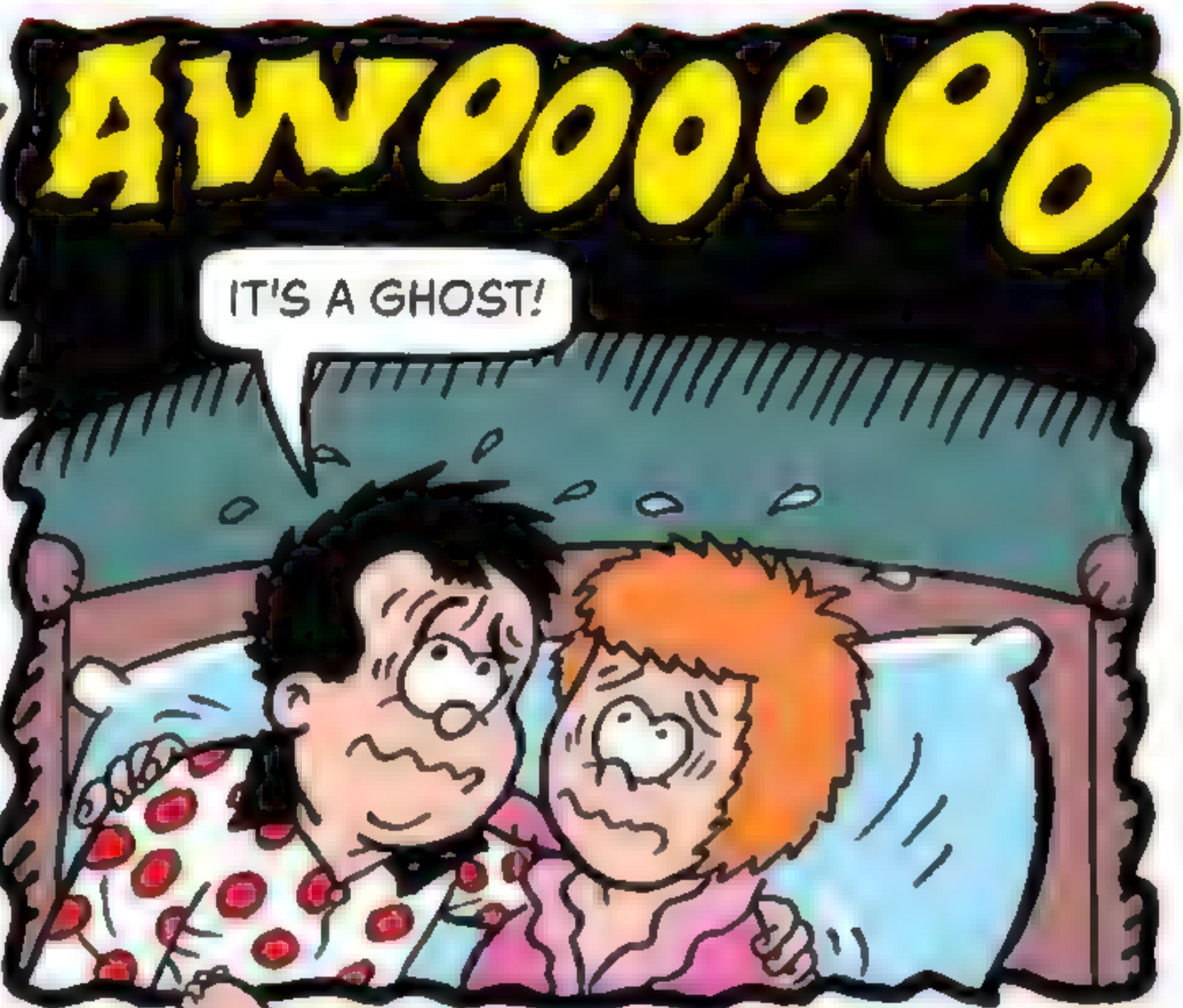
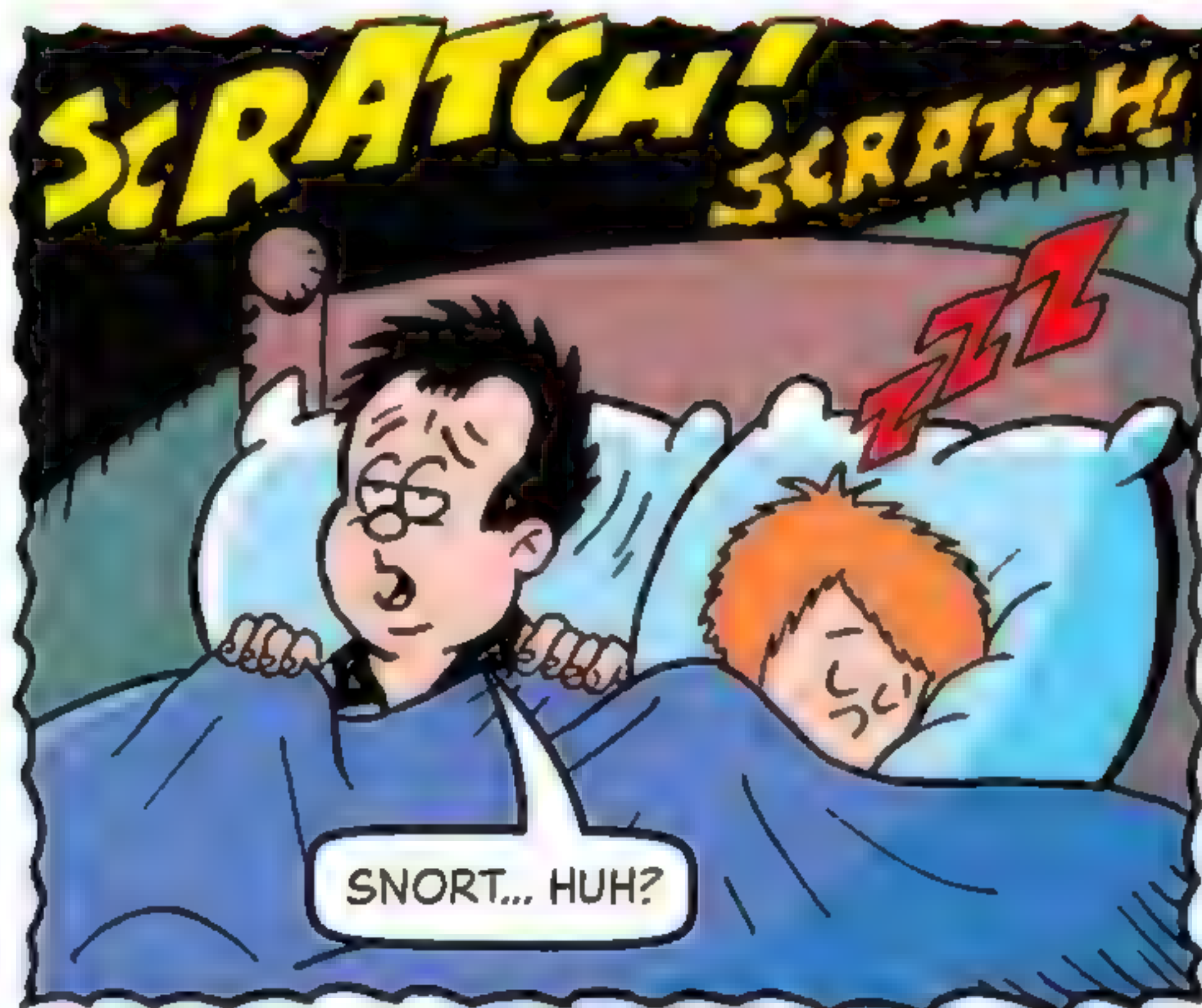
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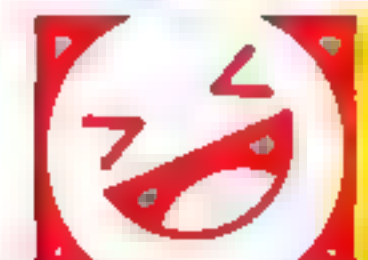


GNASHER & GNIPPER

THE ADVENTURES OF BEANTOWN'S MENACE HOUNDS!



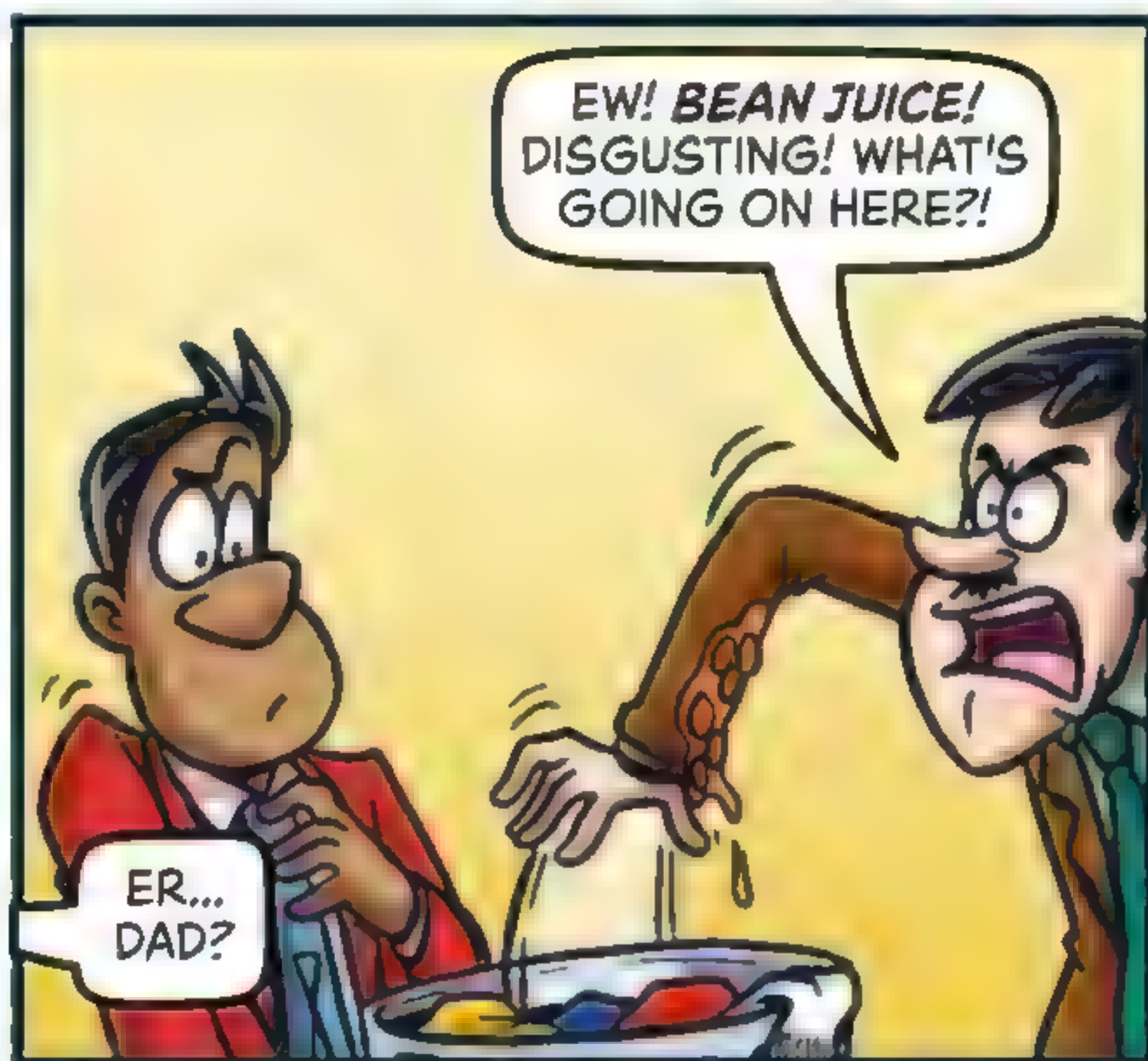
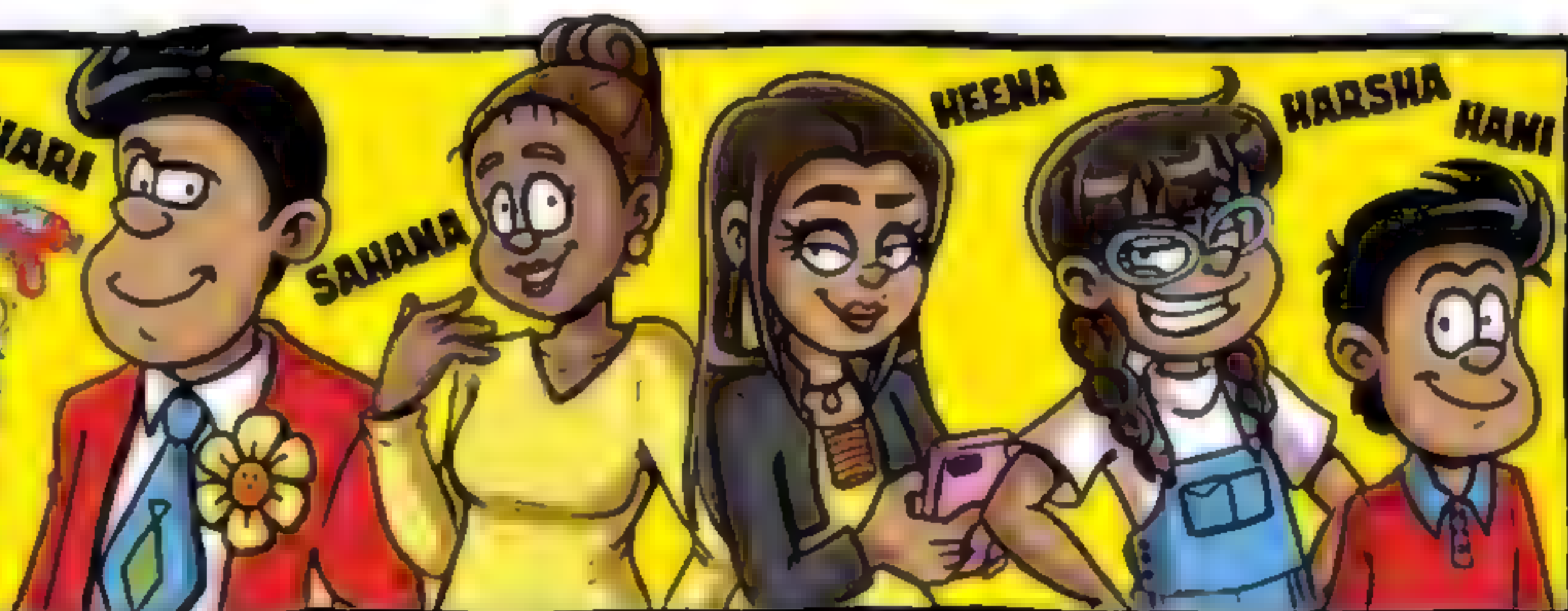
WORDS: Jess Bradley ART: Barrie Appleby



Why did the cat cross the road? To get to the tail-ors!

HAR HAR'S JOKE SHOP!

MEET BEANOTOWN'S FUNNIEST FAMILY!



WORDS: Hugh Raine ART: Emily McGorman-Bruce



What exams do farmers have to take? **Hay levels!**



HARSHA'S PRANK ACADEMY

No.76

THIS TOOTHPASTE TRICK IS REALLY SALTY!

You'll need:

■ Salt ■ Toothpaste



1 Find the toothpaste used by the person you're pranking.



2 Unscrew the lid and sprinkle a little salt into the end of the tube.

ALLERGY AWARE!
Do not try this prank where allergies may be an issue.



3 Place the lid back on and put the toothpaste back where you found it.



4 They'll be left with a bad taste in their mouth after they discover this prank!



BETTY AND THE YETI!

THE ORDINARY GIRL WITH THE EXTRAORDINARY BEST FRIEND!

ON MOUNT BEANO...

BEANOTOWN

WOW! WE MUST HAVE WALKED QUITE A DISTANCE, YETI! WE'RE AT THE BEANOTOWN SIGN!

THUD!

WATCH OUT, YETI!

OOPSIE!

HELP ME PUT THESE LETTERS BACK BEFORE ANYONE NOTICES!

SOON...

HMM...

OW NEON BAT

...SOMETHING'S NOT RIGHT. LET'S TRY AGAIN, SHALL WE?

SO...

NO NOT A WEB

THAT'S NOT QUITE RIGHT EITHER, IS IT?

AND..

A BENT MOON

IS IT ME OR IS IT GETTING WORSE?

SHALL WE TELL THEM THE 'W' IS UPSIDE DOWN?! - ED

MEAT BONO

NO, THANKS. I'M THINKING OF TURNING VEGETARIAN!

ISN'T THAT THE GUY FROM THAT OLD BAND? - ED

EVENTUALLY...

BEANOTOWN

THERE! THAT'S BETTER. DO YOU THINK WE CAN MAKE IT BACK HOME WITHOUT BREAKING ANYTHING ELSE?

FLOP!

NO

NO, I DON'T THINK SO EITHER! - ED

WORDS & ART: Hugh Raine

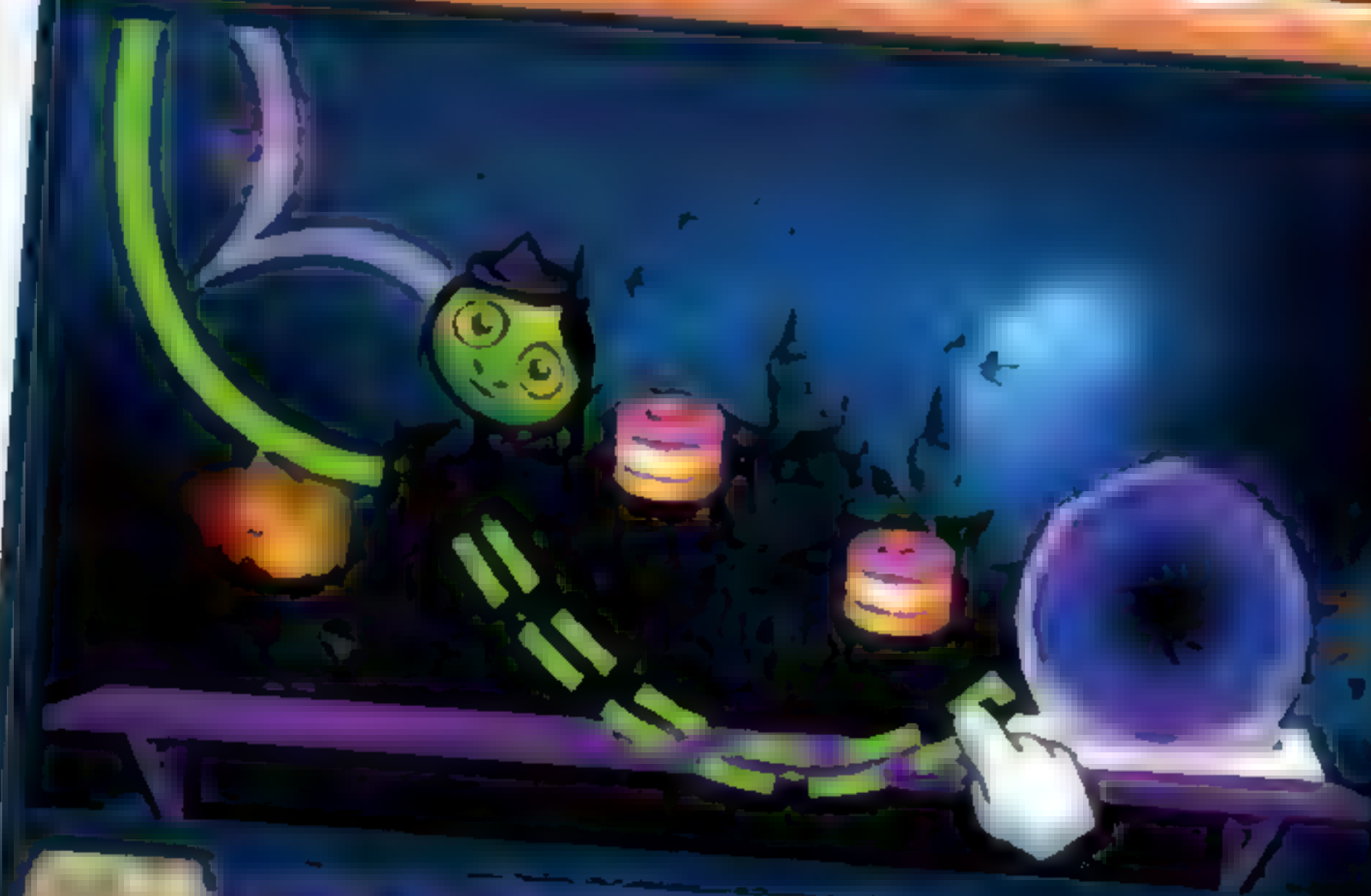


What's the opposite of minimum? **Minidad!**

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MORE GAMES!

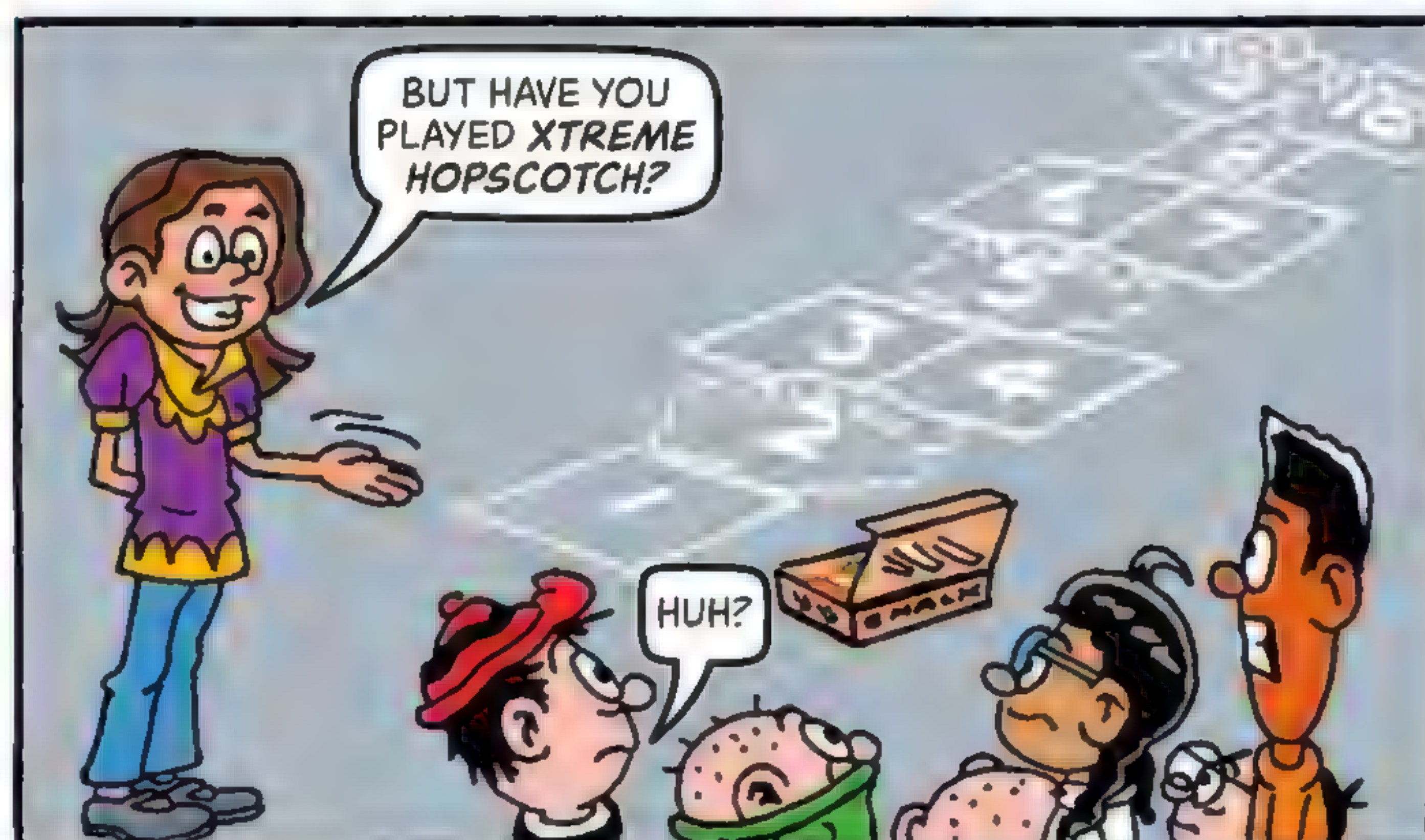
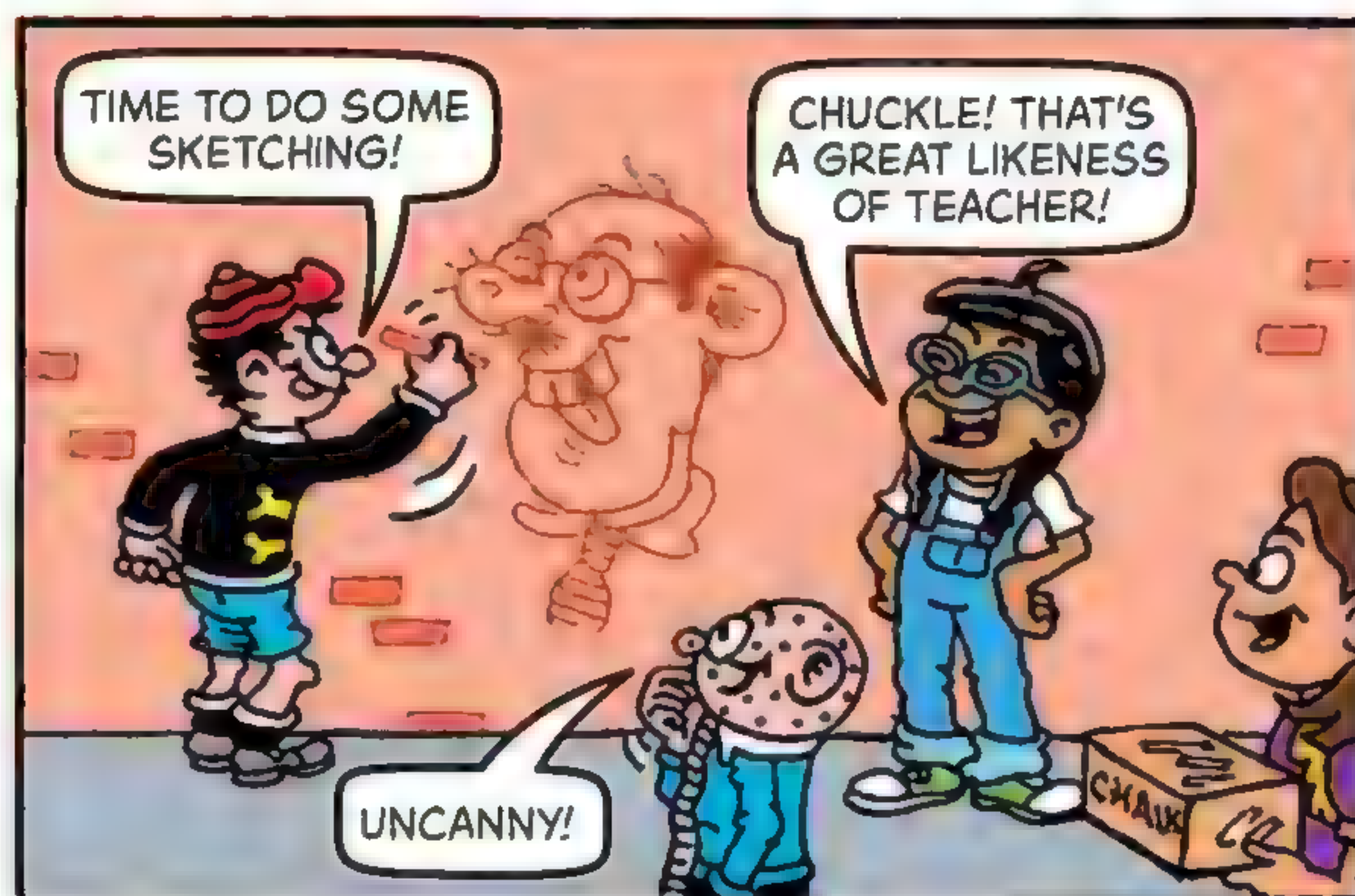
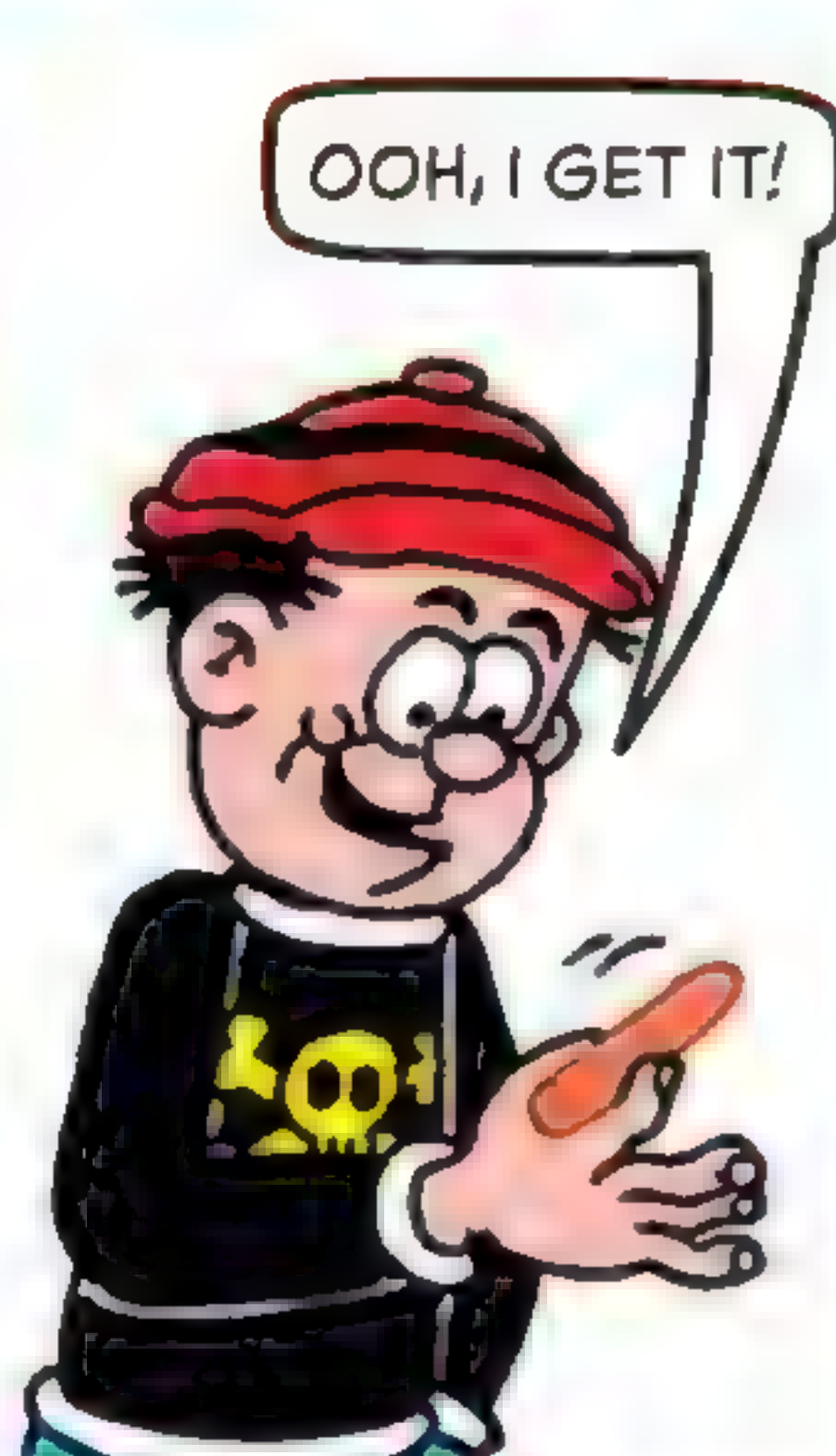


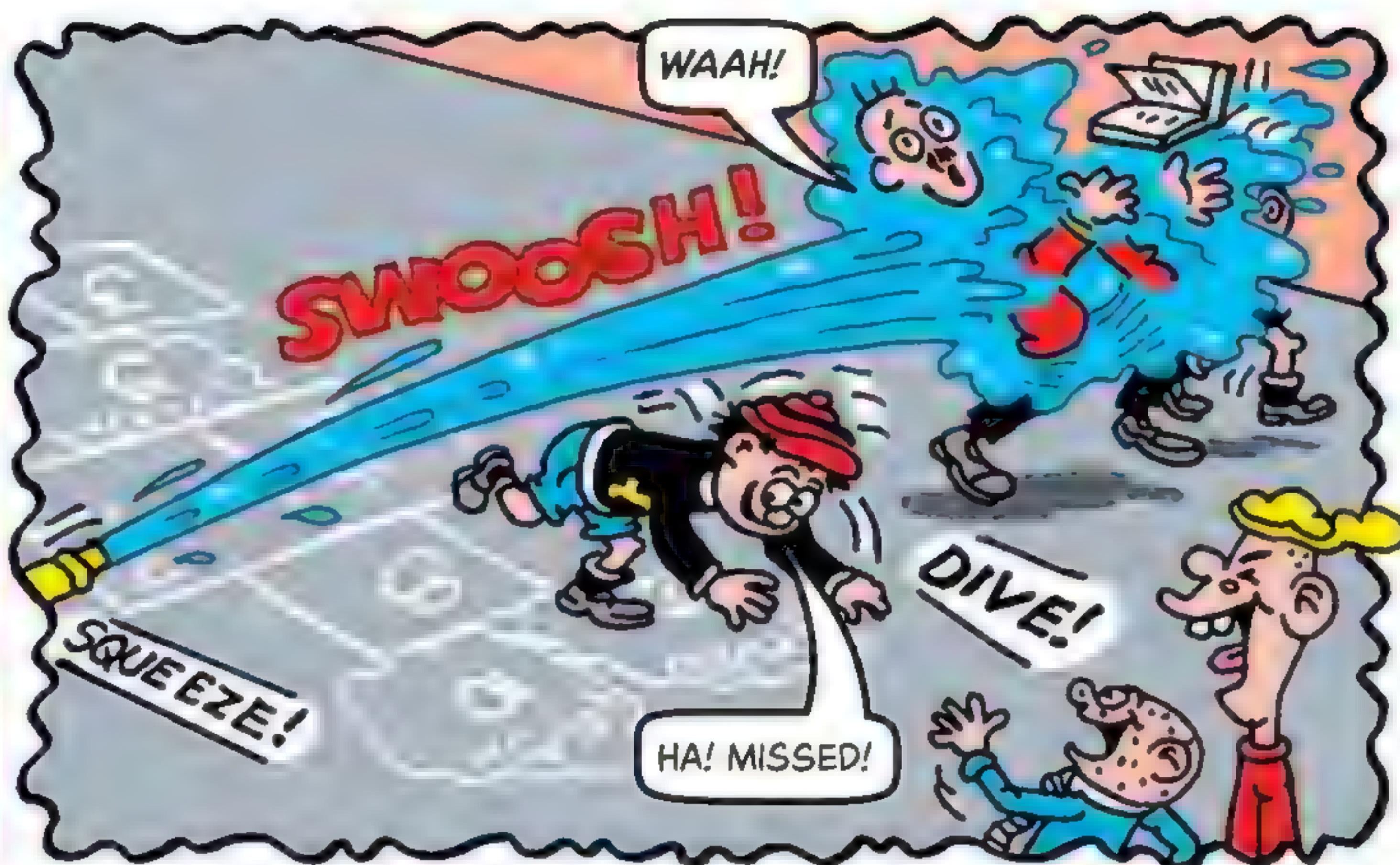
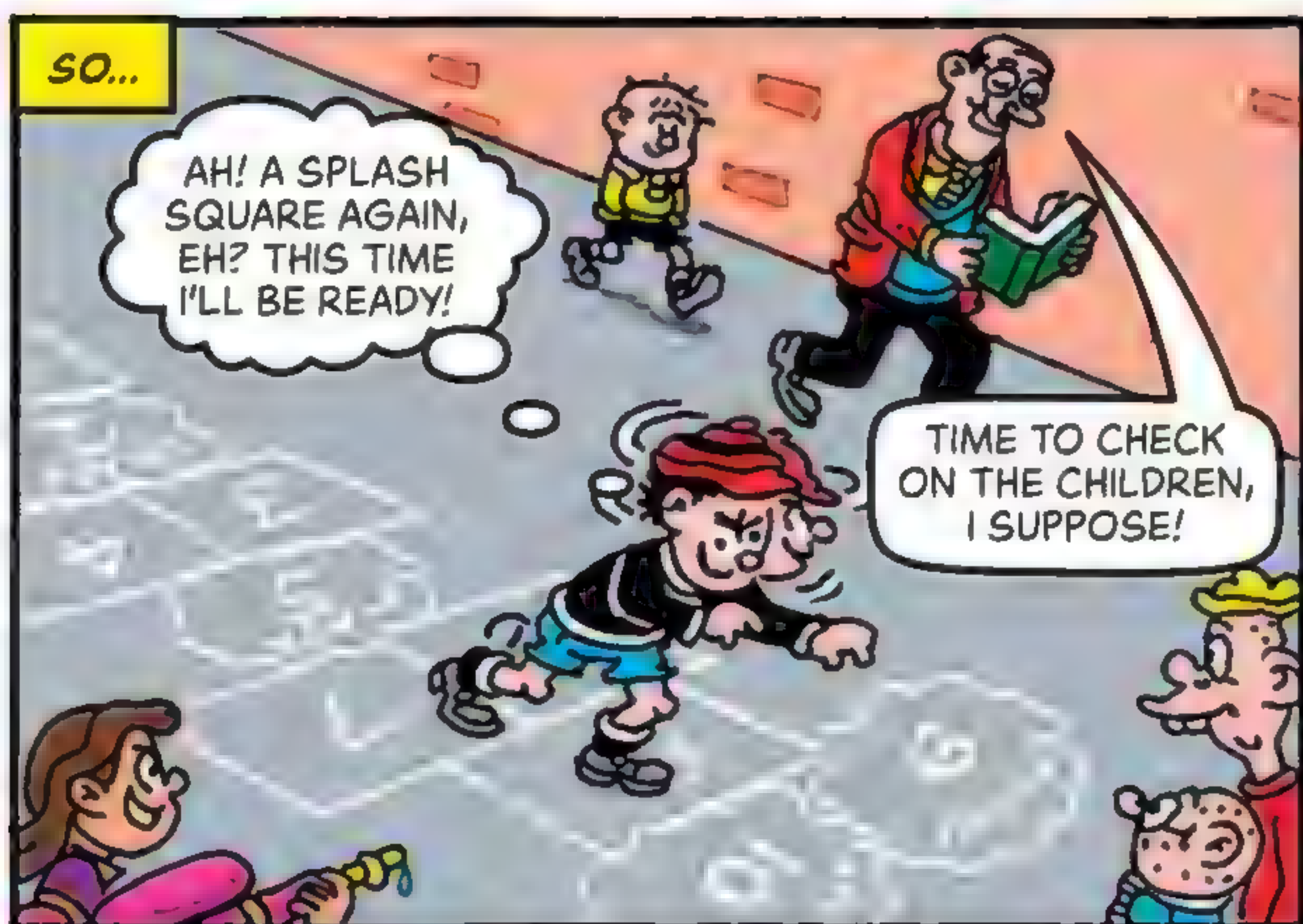
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THE BASH STREET KIDS





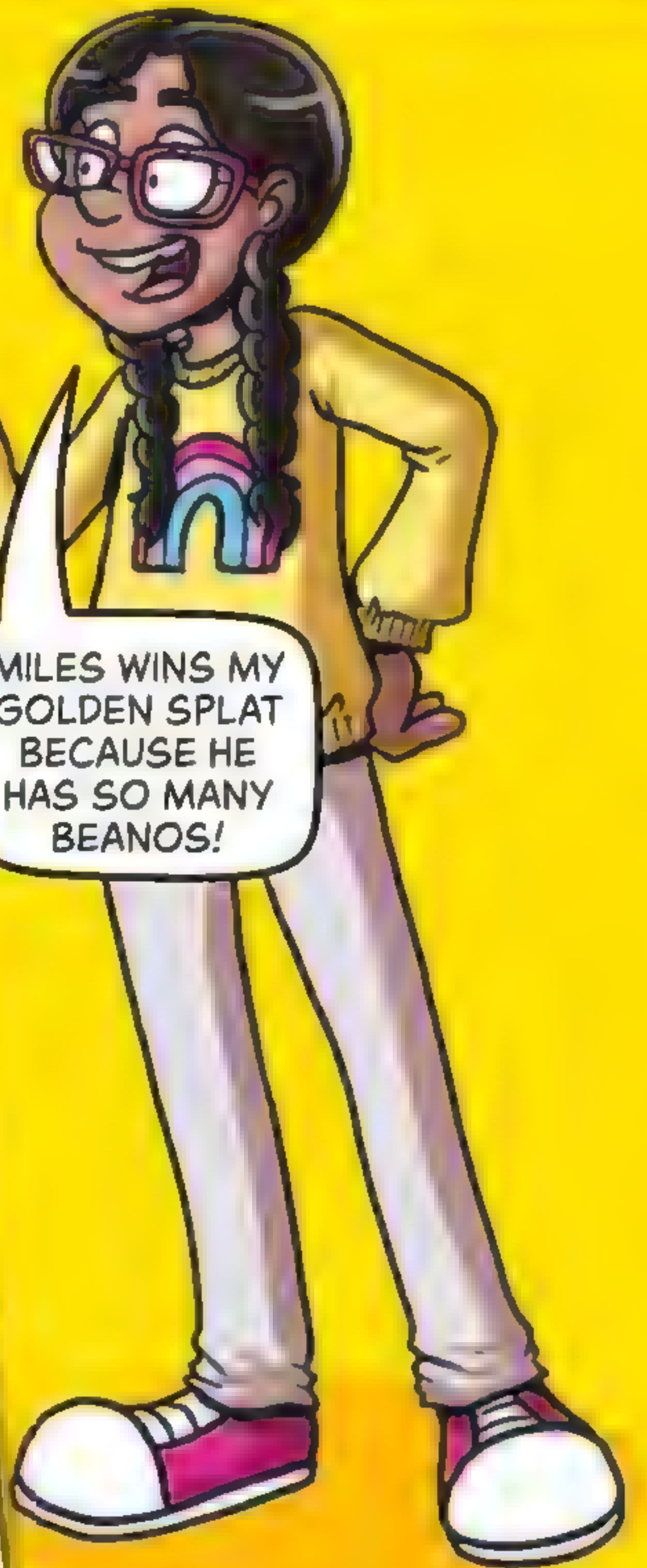
Why do flies go to glassworks? To make bluebottles!

BE MORE BEANO

CHECK OUT THESE READERS' PICTURES! THEY'RE MINX-TASTIC!



MILES FROM WINCHESTER



MILES WINS MY GOLDEN SPLAT BECAUSE HE HAS SO MANY BEANOS!

A MENACE'S BEST FRIEND!



ISAAC AND BENJAMIN FROM HUNTINGTON



Isaac and Benjamin share all their Beanos with Rosie the Jack Russell!

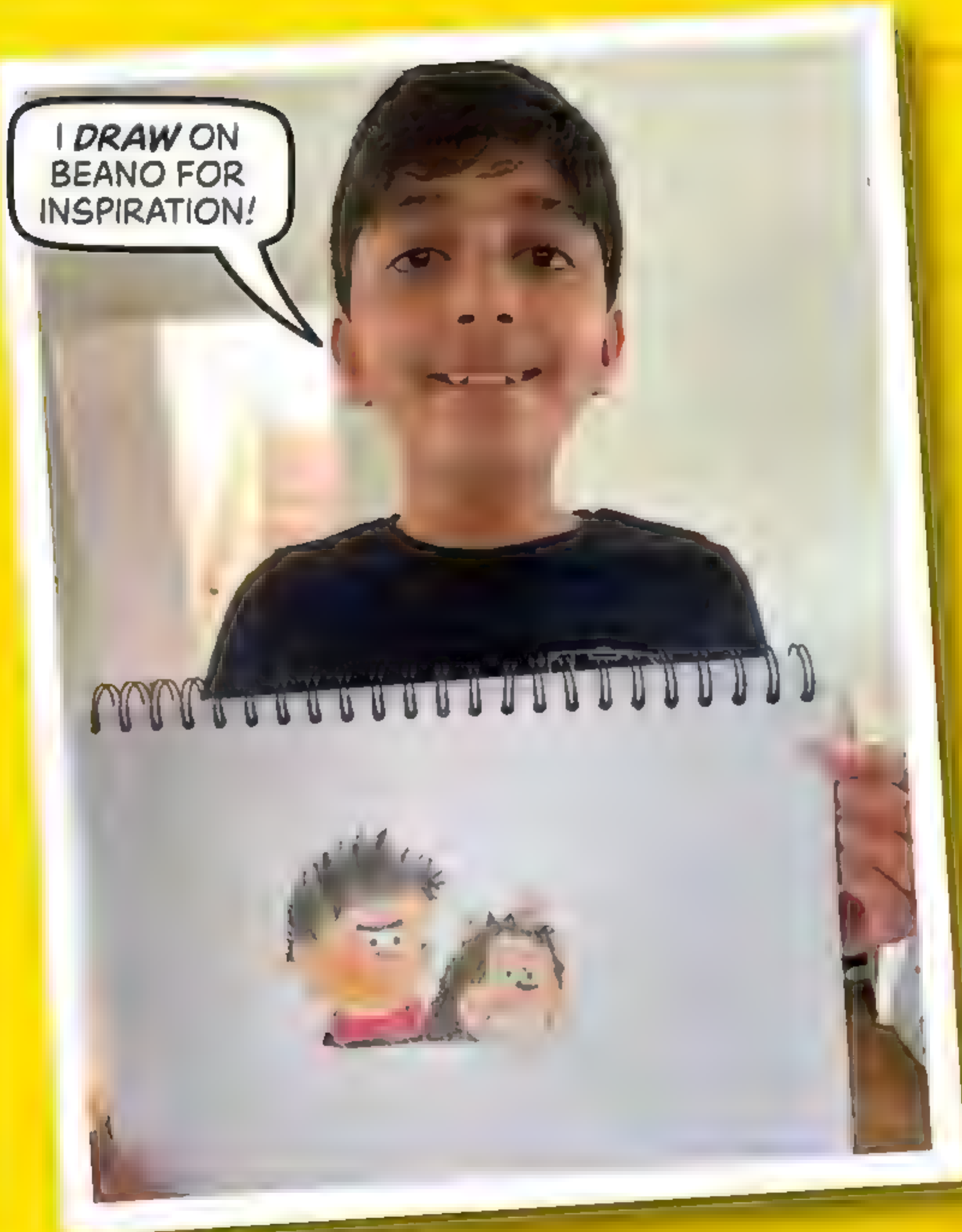
ELENA FROM LONDON



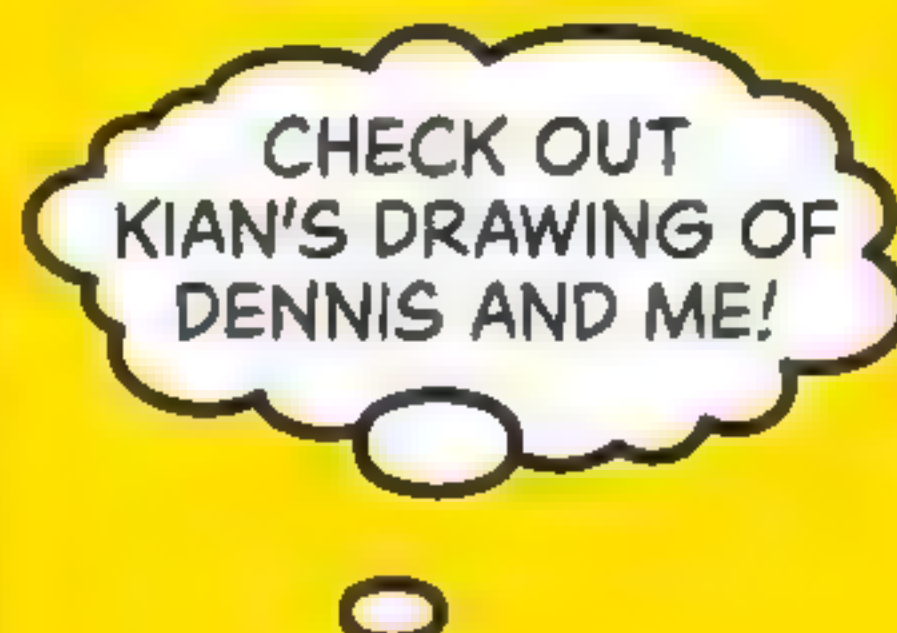
Elena has made her own Minnie!

Who's your menacing best mate?

No menace is complete without their best animal buddy! Do you have a pet you love to read Beano with? Take a picture and send it in with your name and home town to animalbuddy@beano.com



KIAN FROM LEEDS



BEN, IZZY, ELISE AND WILLIAM FROM READING



Ben, Izzy, Elise and William love to read Beano while skiing!

EMILY FROM LONDON



Emily has made bangers and mash for her dinner!

DO YOU HAVE WHAT IT TAKES TO...

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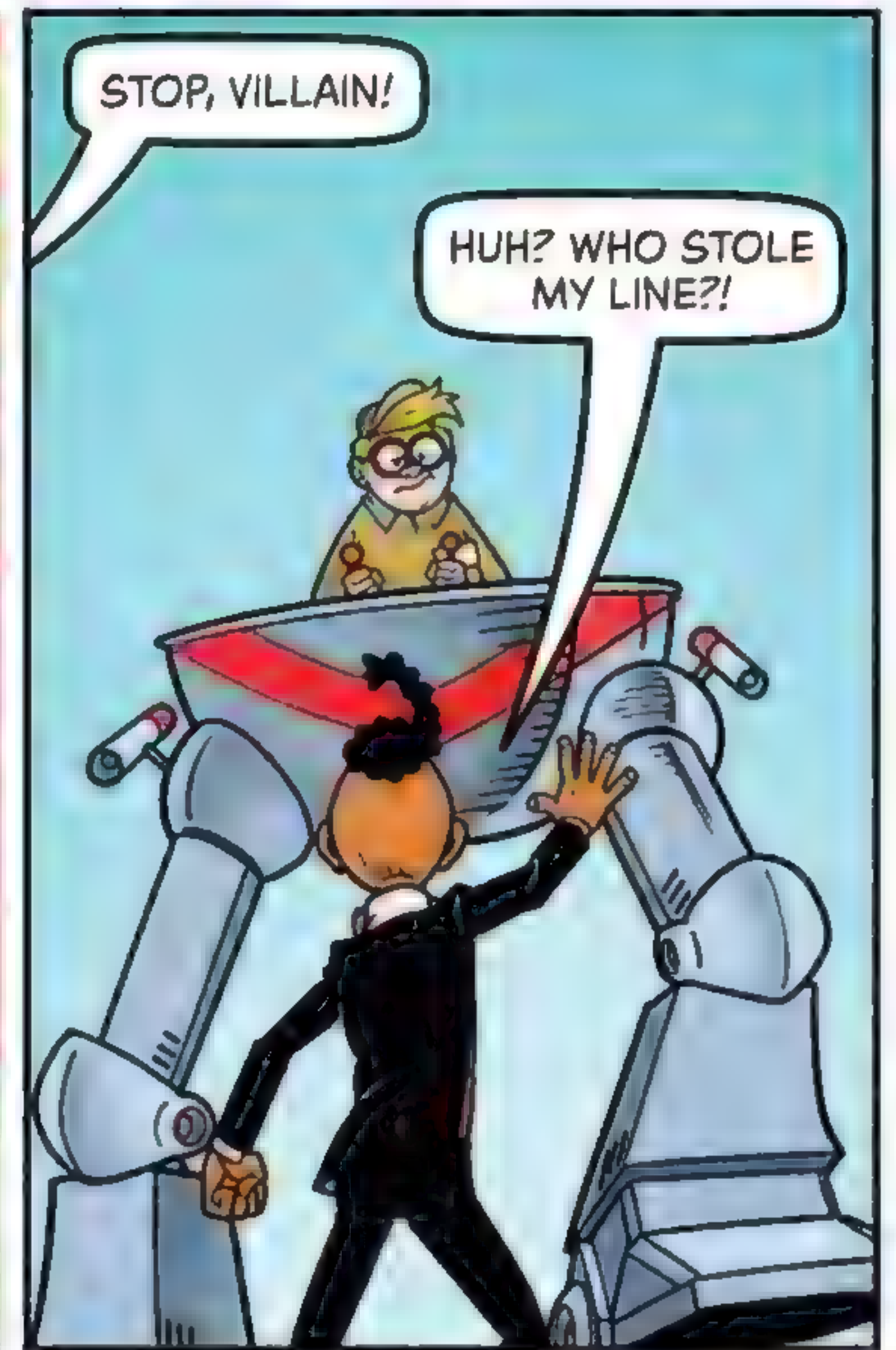
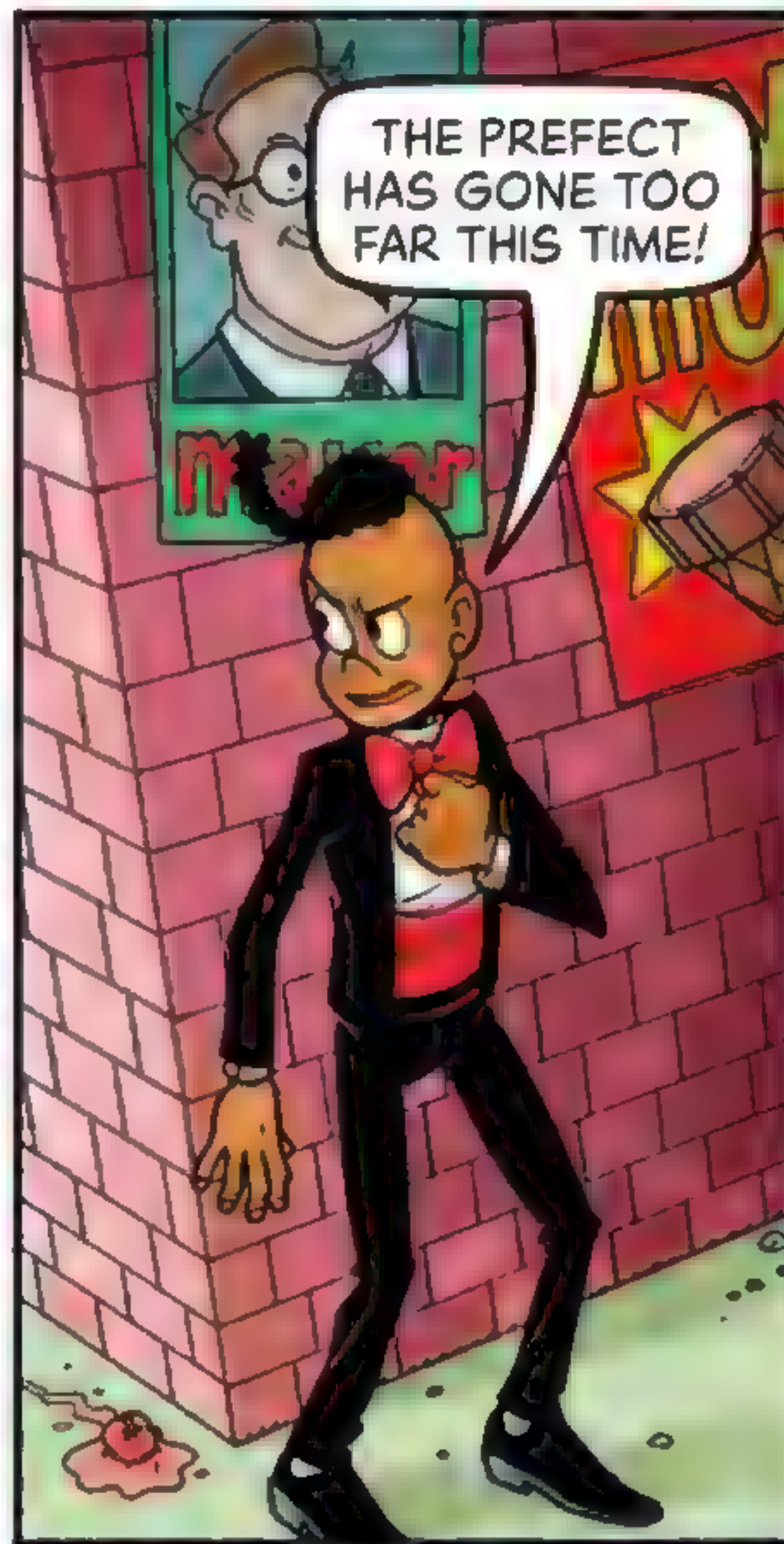
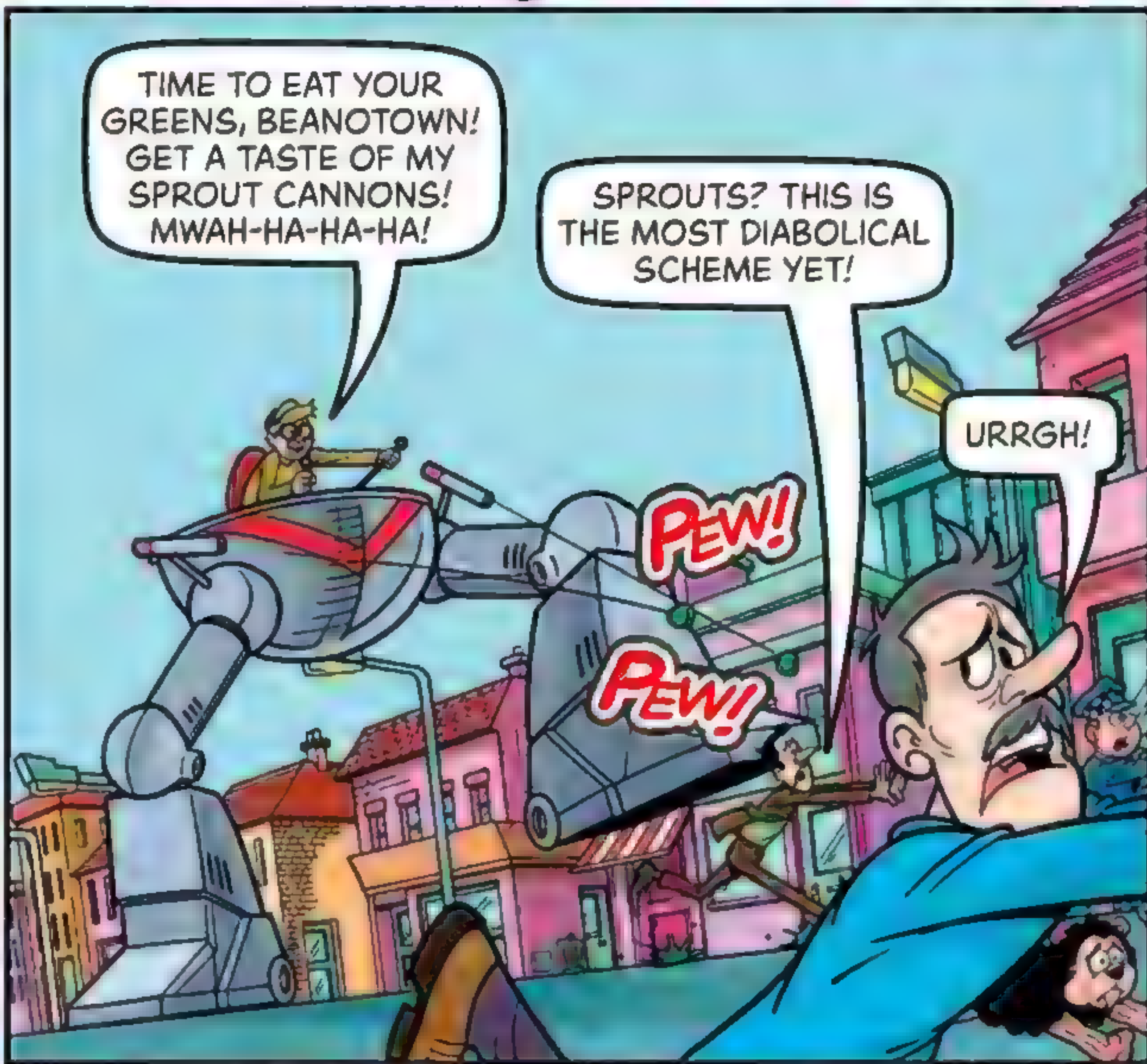
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DANGEROUS DAN

BEANOTOWN'S **TOP** SPY!



WORDS: Andy Fenton ART: The Sharp Bros.



What has feathers, fangs and goes 'quack-quack'? **Count Duckula!**



THE

SUPER QUIZ!

ARE YOU
MORE OF A
SUPERHERO OR
SUPER-SPY?
ANSWER THE
QUESTIONS TO
FIND OUT!

Start

Who's cooler -
Superman or
James Bond?

Superman!

Bond!

Would you rather have
gadgets to do things for
you or superpowers?

Gadgets!

No!

Superpowers!

How do you fight
crime - jumping in
with one punch or a
covert operation?

Covert!

Who would you
rather fight -
General Blight
or the Prefect?

Prefect!

Do you like wearing
disguises and sneaking
into places to
investigate?

Yes!

Would you prefer
to wear a tuxedo
or a super-suit?

Punch!

Blight!

Super-suit!

Tux!

Who's your
ultimate villain?

Doctor Gloom!

Do you want a
sidekick?

Yes!

S.M.I.R.K.!

No!

**YOU'RE A...
SUPERHERO!**

Just like Bananaman,
you love to blaze in and
save the day using your
superpowers and charm!
You get rid of the villains
with one good punch... or
just pure luck!

**YOU'RE A...
SUPER-SPY!**

Gadgets are your bread and
butter, just like Dan! You're
an expert at covert
operations, wearing cool
tuxedos and... all the other
secret things spies do!

JOKE
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ANGEL FACE INVESTIGATES Detective for hire!

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JJ Freewheeling, freestyle fun!

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ROGER THE DODGER

HE'S ALWAYS GOT A TRICK UP HIS SLEEVE!

SATURDAY MORNING...

LAST NIGHT A METEOR CRASHED SOMEWHERE IN BEANTOWN. SCIENTISTS ARE CURRENTLY TRYING TO TRACK DOWN THE IMPACT SITE.

COOL!

WHAT ARE YOU DOING LAZING ABOUT? YOU'VE GOT WORK TO DO.

I DO?

OUTSIDE...

HAVE THOSE BUILDERS STILL NOT FINISHED YOUR DRIVEWAY?

I HAD A DISAGREEMENT ABOUT THEIR PAYMENT, SO THEY LEFT.

BEST OF LUCK CLEANING THIS LOT UP, DAD.

GET THIS RUBBLE AND DUST SWEEPED UP OR IT'S NO POCKET MONEY FOR YOU.

SIGH!

COUGH! COUGH! THERE IS NO WAY ON EARTH I'M GOING TO DO THIS CHORE.

TIME TO DISCOVER DODGE 398MD.

IS THAT THE TOP SECRET RESEARCH STATION? MY NAME IS MR LES DAWSON. THE METEOR LANDED OUTSIDE MY HOUSE.

15 MINUTES LATER...

GOOD MORNING, YOU MUST BE HERE FOR THE METEOR.

MY DAD IS JUST GETTING CHANGED BUT HE TOLD ME TO SHOW YOU WHERE THE METEOR LANDED.

REMARKABLE!

THANK YOU. WE'LL GET TO WORK ON THE IMPACT SITE IMMEDIATELY.

ROGER! WHY ARE THERE VANS PARKED OUTSIDE OUR HOUSE?

MR DAWSON, WHAT TIME EXACTLY DID THE METEOR CRASH?

BUT THEN...

HOLD ON! THIS IS JUST CONCRETE. IT'S A FAKE!

HE DOESN'T PAY HIS INVOICES EITHER!

BUT... BUT...

MR DAWSON, BEANTOWN'S BIGGEST FRAUDSTER, WHY DID YOU FAKE THE METEOR LANDING?

I DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT ANY METEOR!

THAT SHOULD KEEP DAD BUSY. THIS DODGE WAS OUT OF THIS WORLD.

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What's grey and flies out of a burrow at 200mph? A hare-oplane!

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NEXT
WEEK...

THE BASH STREET COPS!



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DC THOMSON

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**MAKE
ME A
MENACE!**



OCTOPUS OLIVIA

HI! I'M OLIVIA, BUT
YOU CAN CALL ME...

YOU CAN BE A MENACE TOO! EMAIL YOUR MENACE NAME TO: MMAM@BEANO.COM!

WHY DO THEY CALL
YOU OCTOPUS OLIVIA?



HAVING EIGHT ARMS IS USEFUL.
OLIVIA CAN PLAY A GAME...



...WATCH A VIDEO,
HAVE A DRINK...



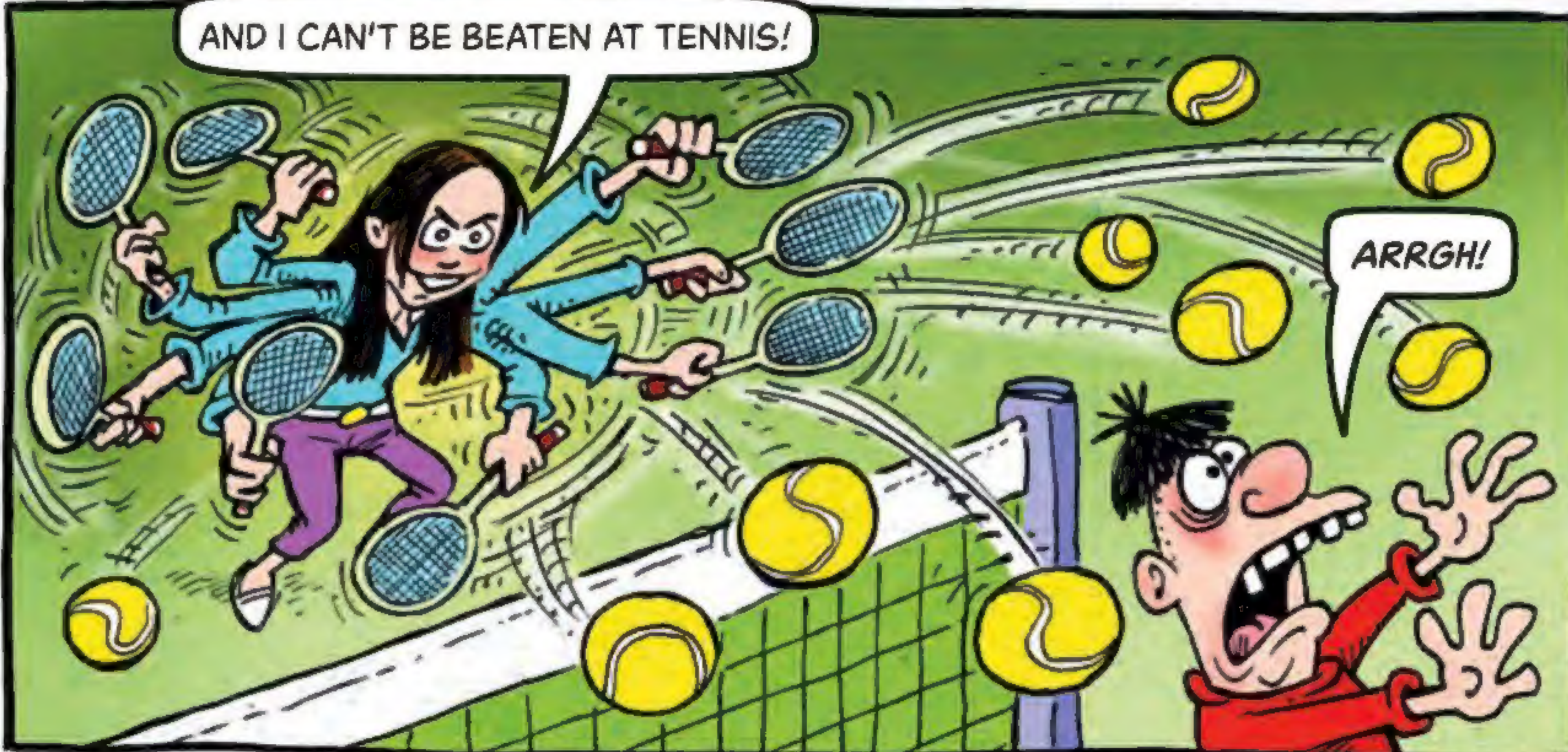
...EAT A LOLLY,
BRUSH HER HAIR...



...PAINT AND PLAY THE PIANO -
ALL AT THE SAME TIME!



AND I CAN'T BE BEATEN AT TENNIS!



JILLY FISH ISN'T HAPPY, THOUGH...

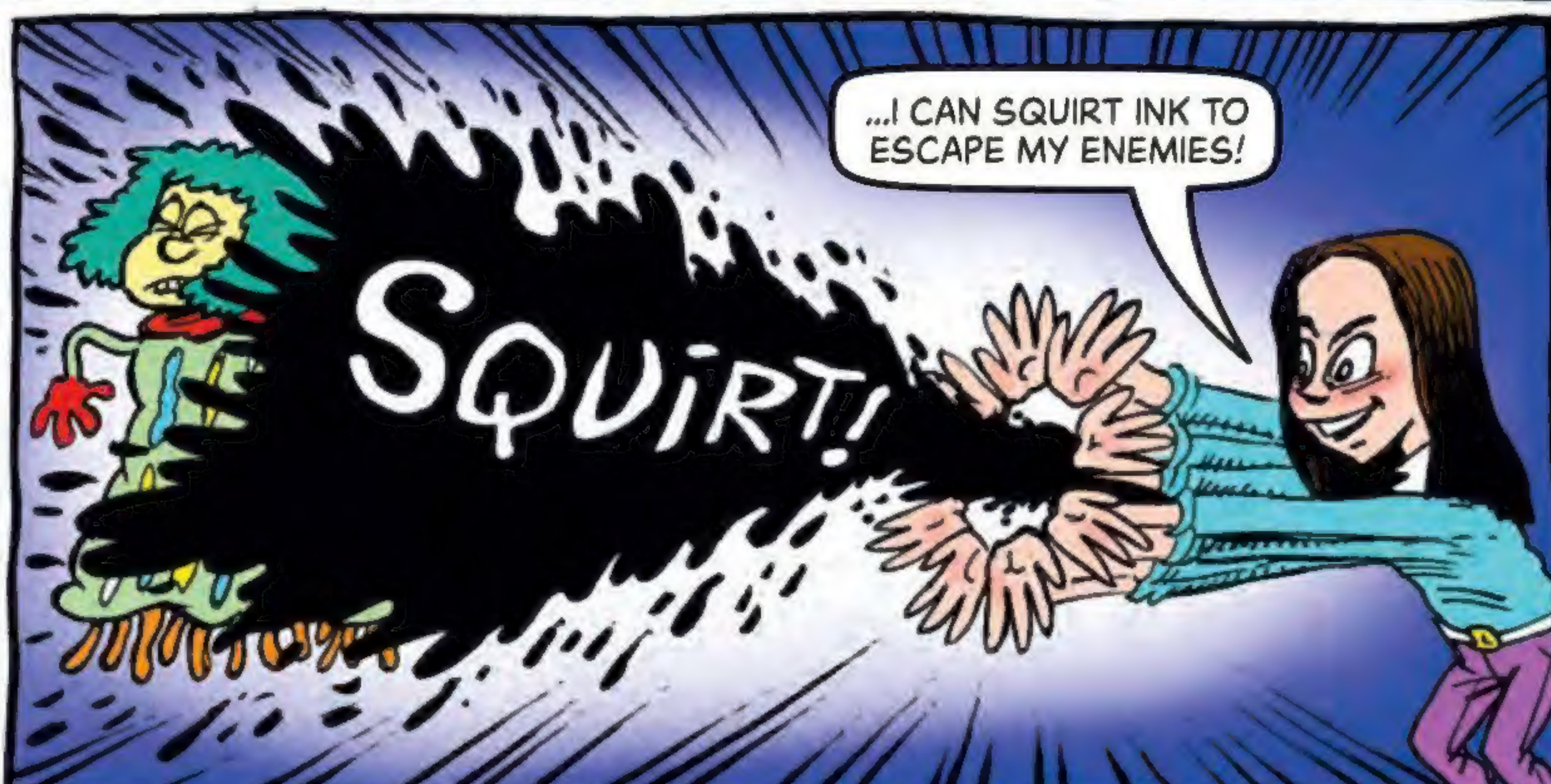


JELLYFISH ARE BETTER
THAN OCTOPUSES! I'M
GOING TO STING YOU, SO
YOU NEVER FORGET THAT!

THERE'S ONE OTHER
REASON THEY CALL
ME OCTOPUS OLIVIA...



...I CAN SQUIRT INK TO
ESCAPE MY ENEMIES!



WORDS: Nigel Auchterlounie ART: Hunt Emerson

DON'T FORGET!

SEND US A BRILLIANT PHOTO OF YOURSELF WITH YOUR **menace name!**